

TWO MILLION IS LOST IN FLAMES

MANUFACTURING DISTRICT OF CINCINNATI HAS BAD FIRE THIS MORNING.

WHOLE BLOCK DESTROYED

Two Persons Killed and Many Injured by Falling Walls of the Burning Structures.

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 21.—Fire in the factory district of this city today caused damage estimated at two million dollars and the death of Freeman Robert D. Greer and an unknown boy and injury to six other firemen.

At the time the fire broke out a high wind was blowing which gave the flames such impetus they were not controlled until ten firms were burned out and eight large buildings destroyed.

The entire block from Ninth and Hycamore streets to Broadway was swept by flames. The fire, it is believed, started in the engine room of Krippendorf and O'Neal company's shoe factory.

While the fire was at its height the walls of the Krippendorf building fell and buried and killed Robert Greer, a fireman. Four other firemen who were injured were caught by the same falling wall.

Shortly afterward two more firemen were hurt. The boy was killed by an iron electric light pole which fell on him.

The fire was under control at seven o'clock. When the walls of the Krippendorf factory fell, two fire engines were buried. The crews had a narrow escape. Fifty prisoners in the nearby county jail were panic-stricken.

F. M. Marzuff, who recently closed out his factory here and went to Cincinnati to take charge of the Wisco, Shaw and Fidler shoe factory, is located in the neighborhood of today's blaze. His new factory is at Court and Broadway, but two blocks distant.

MARKHAM HEADS THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL

President of the Gulf Refining Co. Was Today Elected as J. T. Harahan's Successor.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—Charles H. Markham, president of the Gulf Refining Company and the Gulf Pipe Line Company of Pittsburgh, was today elected president of the Illinois Central Railroad Company to succeed J. T. Harahan, who will retire from the office next month. The new president began his railroad career in 1861 when he started as a section laborer on the Santa Fe. In the same year he became a station agent for the Southern Pacific at Doming, N. M., and held similar positions for six years. From 1891 to 1897 he was district freight and passenger agent at Fresno, Cal., and in 1897 was promoted to be general freight agent of the Oregon lines of the Southern Pacific Company. In 1901 he became vice-president of the Houston and Texas Central and later he was appointed general manager and vice-president of the Southern Pacific. About eight years ago he resigned from the Southern Pacific to engage in the oil business.

OREGON TEACHERS MEET AT PORTLAND

Eminent Educators from California and Massachusetts Will Address the Convention.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 21.—The western division of the Oregon State Teachers' Association met in Portland today and began what promised to be the most profitable convention in the history of the organization. Teachers from all parts of the counties embraced in the territory of the association were present when the gathering was called to order this morning by President E. T. Moore of Salem. The principal speakers heard during the day were Dr. Margaret Schellenberger, of the State Normal school at San Jose, Cal., and Dr. David Swenson, superintendent of education at Minneapolis. The convention will continue its sessions over Thursday and Friday.

DANCE TO SAVE A MAN FROM GALLOWS

Chicago Colored Population Will Give a Ball for Jennings, the "Finger Print" Burglar.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—The colored population of Chicago is on edge in anticipation of the "grand ball" to be given tomorrow night, the proceeds of which will be employed in an attempt to save Thomas Jennings, the "finger print" burglar, from the gallows. Jennings, a negro ex-convict, was recently convicted of the murder of Clarence Miller, whose home he is alleged to have entered for the purpose of robbery. Finger prints left in the soft paint on a rear porch railing were the principal evidence against the negro. The proceeds of the ball will be used to carry the case to the supreme court for a ruling on the admissibility of "finger print" evidence in a trial.

MARKET IRREGULAR AT TODAY'S OPENING

New York, Dec. 21.—The stock market opened irregular with chances about equally divided between fractional gains and losses.

LA CROSSE SENATOR HAS TWO NEW BILLS

One Would Insure Harsh Treatment for Hotel Debt Defaults—Other Favors Druggists' Interests.

La Crosse, Dec. 21.—A bill permitting proprietors of hotels to arrest "dead beats" without the formality of a warrant and a bill framed by druggists striking from the state law requirement that druggists in "wet" towns must keep a record of persons buying whisky, will be presented to the coming session of the legislature by Senator Otto Fossard of this city. It is announced today.

POLICE ASKED TO ARREST ELOPERS

Parents of Guy McElowney of West Salem Object to His Marriage to La Crosse Girl.

West Salem, Dec. 21.—Police of the Northwestern office have been asked to apprehend Guy McElowney, son of rich West Salem parents, who is alleged to have eloped with a La Crosse girl, whose name is withheld. The risk in which they are alleged to have fled, was found tied beside a country road.

WILL MAKE REPORT ON INVESTIGATION

Legislative Committee Looking Into Stephenson Campaign Will Tell What It Discovered at Coming Session.

La Crosse, Dec. 21.—Senator Paul Hastings, chief member of the senate committee appointed to continue the investigation of the Isaac Stephenson senatorial campaign funds, announced today his committee will be called upon to meet for a final report to the next legislature. Nothing highly sensational is anticipated.

THIS IS SHORTEST DAY OF THE YEAR

Winter, Astronomically Considered, Will Commence at Noon Tomorrow, Washington Time.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—Today, in the northern hemisphere, is the shortest day of the year, and tonight the longest night. Astronomically winter will begin at noon tomorrow, according to Washington time, the sun and earth at that hour being at the minimum point of separation. Beginning tomorrow night the nights will become shorter until June 21, when the shortest night and the longest day of the year will be reached.

FORTY-NINTH YEAR OF HIS ORDINATION

And 35th Anniversary of Consecration as Bishop Is Being Celebrated by Archbishop Ireland.

Sault Paul, Minnesota, December 21.—Archbishop Ireland today quietly observed the forty-ninth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood and the thirty-fifth anniversary of his consecration as a bishop. Only three members of the Roman Catholic hierarchy in the United States are older than the St. Paul prelate in point of service. They are Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, Bishop Hagan of Kansas City and Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia. Preparations are already being made for an appropriate celebration next year of Archbishop Ireland's sacerdotal jubilee.

DR. COOK RETURNING HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Would-be North Pole Discoverer Will Arrive in New York Tomorrow Afternoon.

New York, Dec. 21.—Dr. Cook is coming home—again. He will reach New York tomorrow afternoon on the North German Lloyd liner George Washington to spend the holidays.

STEAMER SEARCHED BY THE OFFICIALS

Craft With Mysterious Mission In Central America Sailed From New Orleans Today.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 21.—The Steamer Hornet, after a thorough search by federal authorities to make sure she carried no military equipment to be used in any revolutionary expedition, sailed on her mysterious voyage to Central America waters at noon.

ILLINOIS COURT IS NOT TO BE CHANGED

Motion For Stay Of Proceedings In McCann Case Not Granted.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 21.—A motion for a stay of mandate of the committee in the case of former police inspector McCann of Chicago, and remanding of the cause for re-hearing on motion for new trial was denied by supreme court today. The case will be taken to the federal court. The supreme court today also sustained the constitutionality of the legislative primary election law.



HIS OFFICIAL VISIT.

NO PROVISION FOR THE STOUT SCHOOL

Founder of Famous Manual Training School Left That Institution to Shift for Itself.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 21.—Because the late Senator James H. Stout, founder of the famous Stout Manual Training school at Menomonie, failed to make any provision of the school or provision for its support, the institution is left in the queer position of being deserted by its founder and main support. As it is one of the most famous institutions in the country, and has attracted the attention of educators from all sections, Lieutenant Governor Thomas Morris today proposed to have the state take over the institution and maintain it.

TO PLACE BIBLES IN ALL HOTEL ROOMS

Order of Gideons Plan Nation Wide Crusade in This Respect.

Milwaukee, Dec. 21.—Bibles are to be placed in every bedroom of a hotel of Milwaukee by the local branch of Gideons, according to one of the leading members of the society today. Further meetings in which the campaign, which is nation wide, will be put into operation, will be held before the close of the year. The Gideons is an association of Christian travel agents of the United States. Its members being recognized by the button they wear. It was organized in Janesville several years ago.

OSHKOSH PLANS TO VOTE ON NEW LAWS

Commission Form of Government Is Subject to Petition Today.

Oshkosh, Dec. 21.—Petitions were put in circulation today calling for the commission form of government. It will call for signatures of 1,800 in order to bring the question to a vote, and an effort will be made to have the matter decided next spring previous to the spring election.

C. & N. W. DISPATCHER FILES RESIGNATION

John Elliot Gives Up Duties at Eau Claire and F. L. Little Will Succeed Him.

Eau Claire, Wis., Dec. 21.—John E. Hot, chief train dispatcher of the Wisconsin division of the Northwestern railway at Eau Claire, has resigned, and left last night for a tour of the western and southern states. F. L. Little, who has been night chief dispatcher, will become chief. Mr. Elliot was one of the best known railroad men on the system.

PRETTY WEDDING HELD AT MILTON JUNCTION HOME

Miss Clara Fulton United in Marriage to Alfred C. Courtney This Morning at Nine Thirty.

Milton Junction, Dec. 21.—A very pretty wedding occurred this morning at nine thirty, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fulton, Reverend Kipp of the Methodist church officiating. Miss Stella Fulton acted as bridesmaid and Arthur Holmes as best man. The bride was given in a very handsome wedding dress of blue and white. Immediately following the wedding ceremony a most delicious wedding luncheon was served after which the happy couple left on their wedding trip. They will make Milton Junction their home. The groom is a very prosperous painter of this village.

SOCIAL SCANDAL IN HUNGARY'S CAPITAL

Hairstresser Named Vigyazo Has Been Conducting Organized Campaign of Blackmail.

Vienna, Dec. 21.—Social circles of Budapest which not without reason, is called the "Paris of Hungary," are greatly disturbed over a disgraceful affair, the final outcome of which is still awaited with breathless trepidation. A ladies' hairstresser, named Vigyazo, has been conducting an organized campaign of blackmail against ladies of the aristocracy which appears to have been long planned. Vigyazo, a strikingly handsome man of elegant appearance and polished manners, selected the husbands of a half-dozen for the sole reason that it would bring him into close connection with those circles in which he hoped to find victims. By degrees he became acquainted with the intimate secrets of his patronesses.

Thus finding himself in possession of sufficient material, he forwarded various blackmailing letters, in one declaring that he had entire knowledge of a lady's meeting with her chauffeur, in another giving exact details of the lady's interview with the officer, of the husbands, while other letters of the same character contained severely worded threats. The price which he demanded for his silence varied from 3000 to 5000 kronen or even more. An energetic lady, wife of a millionaire, to whom the blackmail had written by mistake, informed the criminal authorities who arrested the man. It soon became known that he had communicated to the police a number of compromising stories and threatened in case of a trial to divulge all the scandalous secrets in his possession. Shortly after his arrest the young adventurer, who came from an excellent and once wealthy family in Vienna, committed suicide in his cell, but even his tragic end has not allayed the fear of the indiscreet victims of the hairstresser. They fear that he has left compromising notes and papers and that their secrets may yet become public property in some way.

LA CROSSE FIREMAN IN AN ELOPEMENT

F. H. Blom, Thought To Have Been Murdered Is Alleged To Have Run Away With Married Woman.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 21.—Somewhere between Minneapolis and Tennessee, F. H. Blom, a La Crosse railroad fireman who had been thought murdered and Mrs. Joseph Munson of Minneapolis, are alleged by the police to be on their honeymoon as a result of an illegal elopement which accounts for Blom's elopement. Police and the husband of the woman are in hot pursuit.

ONE DAY OF GRACE IS GIVEN TO ROADS

Next 24 Hours Will See the Final Decision in Railroad Troubles.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 21.—Warren Stone, grand chief B. O. E. declared that the next 24 hours will decide whether or not the strike will come of 32,000 engineers on 61 roads will be a fact.

INDIANAPOLIS HAS A NEW CITY HALL

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 21.—The new City Hall building was dedicated this afternoon with interesting exercises. Governor Marshall, Mayor Shank and five ex-mayors of Indianapolis were included among the speakers.

DEATH PENALTY LONG DELAYED

Protracted Legal Fight at Oakland, Cal., Has Ended in Re-Sentencing of Mark A. Williams.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 21.—One of the longest legal fights ever waged in California by a convicted murderer to escape paying the penalty for his crime has ended here with the re-sentencing of Mark A. Williams to be hanged in February next. Wilkins' crime was the murder of Verne Carlin, a woman who lived with him as his wife, in November, 1907. The woman died from poison. The crime was committed in a little cottage in Elmhurst, near here, where the couple lived. After committing the murder Wilkins buried his victim in quick lime in the back yard of the home.

Wilkins was tried in the early part of 1908. He was quickly convicted and sentenced to be executed in November of that year. There began a legal battle that has established a record for longevity in the criminal records of this state. Though required to be a burglar by profession and having a long prison record, Wilkins is well educated and is said to come from a well-to-do family. Every step known to the law was employed in the fight to save him from the gallows. The case was carried to the highest courts, but without avail. The highest tribunal reaffirmed the judgment of the trial court and after a legal battle lasting three years there now appears no legal means for the condemned murderer to escape the death penalty.

CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF I. C. RAILROAD

Eastern Man Named As Head of the Big Railway Corporation Today.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Charles H. Markham, recently identified with the oil inspector interests of Pittsburgh, was today elected president of the Illinois Central railroad by the board of directors to succeed President Harlan.

Markham was formerly vice president and general traffic manager of the Southern Pacific.

GIVEN A SENTENCE IN STATE PRISON

Youth Charged With Criminal Attack on School Teacher Given Long Term.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 21.—Joseph Hoffman, accused of criminally assaulting Miss Mazo Clark, a school teacher at Big Hollow, on Nov. 1st, was found guilty today and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

MANY QUESTIONS TO BE INVESTIGATED

W. D. Connor Is Made Party To Investigation in Next Legislature.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 21.—It is rumored today that an investigation into the expense statement filed by W. D. Connor, for the stalwart state committee, will be started by the progressives in the next legislature. In as much as the last legislature investigated Stephenson's expenditure of \$119,000, it is proposed, according to the rumor to follow the same program with respect to the Connor committee expense of \$114,000.

LORIMER REPORT IS FILED WITH SENATE REVIEWING FACTS

Majority Report Clears Illinois Senator of Charges Made Against Him.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—The majority report on the Lorimer investigation was filed in the senate today. It reviews at great length the appointment of the committee on investigation of the alleged bribery in connection with Senator Lorimer's election, the proceedings of the subcommittee that examined witnesses, and the conclusions of the investigators. The committee accuses White, the chief witness against Lorimer, of corruption throughout his legislative career, and says he appears to have conceived the plan of claiming to have been bribed in connection with the senatorial election as a basis for extorting money from Lorimer.

The report also comments in detail on the testimony of Linke, Beckmeyer and Holshaw.

The committee says that even conceding these four were bribed as alleged, and their votes eliminated, Lorimer still has a majority and his title is valid.

Senator Beveridge stated he had not been able to concur in nor dissent from the findings of the committee because he did not have time to digest the voluminous proceedings, and asked that a specific time be set for considering the report.

Senator Gallinger objected on the ground it was a privileged matter and could be called from the table at any time by any senator.

The statement from Senator Frazier indicates he will file a minority report.

The President today sent the following nominations from Wisconsin to the senate: Postmasters: Manitowish, Henry Cross; Waushara, Henry E. Blair; Racine, James A. Fletcher.

An urgent demand for the passage of a law for the physical valuation of railroads by the government is a feature of the annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission submitted to congress today.

The senate in executive session today confirmed the nominations of C. C. McChord of Kentucky, and B. H. Meyer of Wisconsin, as members of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The senate adjourned at two o'clock for the holidays at noon, until noon on January 5, 1911.

YULE-TIDE NOT THE SAME IN ENGLAND

Old Fashioned Celebration Has to a Great Extent Died Out in London.

London, Dec. 21.—The old fashioned style of celebrating Christmas, with the blazing Yule log in the fireplace, the merry family seated around the festive board, with its grunting with its load of choice viands, including such delicacies as ham's head, venison and plum pudding, is a thing of the past so far as London is concerned. It may still survive in the households of well-to-do country gentlemen, conservative enough to preserve ancient traditions, but in London the custom has died out. The rich leave their town houses and take their families to their country estates for the holidays and the discomforts of crowded hotel life and the poor stay at home and enjoy their holidays according to their means and taste; but there are no gule laws nor any of the famed necessities of an old-time Yule tide celebration.

The royal household, still in mourning for the late King Edward, will spend the holidays in a comparatively quiet manner. The King and Queen and the members of the royal family will celebrate Christmas "on family" at York Cottage, their charming estate in Norfolk. Although quietly and unostentatiously, elaborate preparations have been made for the Yule tide celebration. There will be plenty of good things for the table, including boar's head and cygnet and a liberal supply of plum pudding, made in accordance with the famous recipe preserved in the royal family for more than a century. There will be presents for all members of the family, a family gathering around the Christmas tree in the hall and a distribution of presents to the retainers of the King's estate.

King Edward loved to have a number of intimate friends around him at the Yule tide season and invariably had a large house party at Sandringham at that time, but King George, limited by the rules of mourning etiquette, will forego the pleasures of a gathering of genial friends this Christmas, whatever he may choose to do in the future.

Christmas trade was not quite so brisk as last year, owing to the unsettled condition of things caused by the excitement of the political campaign and the industrial strikes and disturbances which have considerably reduced the purchasing power of the poorer working classes. The demand for toys and other holiday goods of the cheaper grade have been larger in comparison than for some holiday seasons past.

DISMISSED A SUIT INVOLVING FORTUNE

Judge McHenry of District of Illinois Throws Action Out of Court.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 21.—Judge McHenry of the district court dismissed the suit for a million dollars started by Attorney General Myers for the state, against the Western Union Telegraph company for failure to pay license fees. The dismissal was based upon a recent decision of the United States supreme court.

250 MINERS DIED IN ENGLISH MINE

ACCIDENT NEAR MANCHESTER THIS MORNING CAUSES AWFUL LOSS OF LIFE.

BELIEVED FIFTY ESCAPED

Three Hundred Men in Workings When Explosion Came—Pit a Raging Torrent of Flames.

Manchester, Eng., Dec. 21.—Two hundred and fifty coal miners are believed to have been killed today in an explosion and fire that wrecked the Pretoria mine of the Hough Hulton company near Leek, twenty-five miles northwest of Liverpool.

The explosion occurred at eight o'clock. The cause is unknown. Approximately 300 men were in the mine.

The fire broke out and in a few minutes flames were leaping from the shaft to a height of 80 feet. Rescue, gaining entrance through an adjoining mine, have taken out twenty dead bodies and saved eleven men.

The fire, making the mine a roaring furnace, now balks all hope of further rescue.

Extra details of police were called to fight back the grief-stricken families of the entombed. All the rescued were badly injured and many of the dead recovered were charred beyond recognition.

A member of the rescuing party who came up from the pit tonight, expressed the opinion that there was practically no hope for the imprisoned ones. Only ten bodies have been recovered.

SAILORS TO ENJOY CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

Uncle Sam Plans Month in Advance for Their Dinner at Sea.

Washington, Dec. 21.—Though Uncle Sam's 50,000 or more sailors in the navy will have little opportunity to do any Christmas shopping while they are cruising in foreign waters, the navy department is making elaborate preparations for celebrating the day are now going forward on every battleship and other vessels in the service.

Of all the holidays in the year, Christmas is regarded in the navy as essentially the sailor's own. Therefore, the jacks are allowed to observe it in exactly the way that they deem best, without let or hindrance upon the part of the officers. Work is dispensed with as far as possible, only the most necessary routine tasks being performed on that day. The rest of the time is given over to the tars for amusement, and the Christmas dinner is the means of the year.

Varied programs of sports are now being arranged to occupy the morning hours up to dinner time. The nature of these sports depends upon the location of the battleship. These crews now in the Far East, with the Asiatic fleet, are planning boat races, swimming races, diving contests, and the like. Even a baseball game will be included in the program of any crew fortunate enough to be stationed in a tropical port for the day. Wherever possible, races are arranged with crews from the warships of other nations stationed in the vicinity.

Sailors unfortunate enough to be in northern waters on Christmas day, must content themselves with such indoor sports and athletic contests as are possible on board ship. These usually consist of boxing matches, wrestling, tug-of-war, and the like. The boxing and wrestling matches are the most popular, as hardly a ship is without its aspirants to pugilistic honors, among whom a vigorous rivalry develops.

After dinner, which is prepared for months in advance, another form of entertainment is introduced. Nearly every ship has on board a minstrel company made up of sailors. Extra efforts are exerted to make the Christmas performance the best of the year. The minstrel show is followed by a regular vaudeville performance, including dancers, magicians, and all the rest. In the evening the Christmas celebration is brought to a close by the spectacle of a Christmas tree on board ship. In fact, on each ship there are always two Christmas trees, one for the officers and one for the crew. In the distribution of gifts, no one is forgotten, slight as may be the intrinsic value of the presents.

There is now bound for the English channel, where the vessels of the Atlantic fleet are stationed, the supply ship, Cutlog, and a large part of her burden is made up of Christmas boxes for the tars, sent from the United States by friends and relatives at home. Notices of the sailing of the "Christmas ship" are always sent out long in advance, so that everyone who wishes may help aid in the joyfulness of a Christmas at sea in the navy.

QUALIFY TO USE TUBERCULIN TEST

Three Hundred Farmers From Various Sections Taking Examinations at Madison.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 21.—Three hundred farmers from various sections of the state are here today taking examinations to issue the tuberculin test to cattle. A law passed by the last legislature to take effect January 1, provides for the administering of this test by any person passing the examination before the state sanitary board. The former law allowed only veterinarians to administer the test.

SENATOR ALDRICH ADMITTED TO THE ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL

New York, Dec. 21.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, is in the Roosevelt hospital for an operation. His condition is not serious.

Shop during the morning hours. Stocks are at their best.

Gift Merchandise for Men

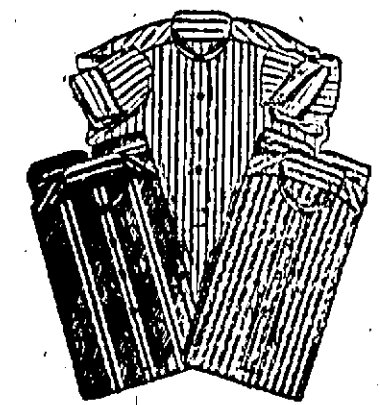
Cravats.
Handkerchiefs.
Gloves.
Auto Scarfs.
Phoenix Mufflers.
Bradley Mufflers.
President suspenders.
Vests.
Travel Bags.
Silt Cases.
Silk Hose.
White Shirts.
Fancy Shirts.
Umbrellas.
Pumps.
House Slippers.
Dunford Underwear.
Vassar Underwear.
Hannan Shoes.
Rogal Shoes.
Pennants.
Hats.
Combination Sets.
Ties and Tie Pins.
Combination Sets—Hose, Handkerchief and Tie.
Suspenders.
Garter and Sleeve Band Sets.
Sets of Hose and Tie appropriately boxed.

D. J. LUBY

XMAS IS GETTING NEAR.
If you want your children to have some extra Christmas money save your junk and phone to the Luby house. We pay the following prices and give full weights. No. 1 rubber 7c lb. No. 2 rubber 6c lb. Rags, 8c hundred. Scrap iron 35c hundred. Copper and heavy brass 30 lb.

S. W. ROTSTEIN IRON CO.
Successors to Rotstein Bros.
Old phone 3512. New phone 1012.
We are in the market for all kinds of hides, furs. Highest prices paid. 5000 rods wanted at once, also 2000 live ducks. We will pay highest prices. Phone us.

A NEGLIGEE SHIRT.
—makes a useful and practical gift.



A ready reference list for belated shoppers.

Dress Shirts, at \$1.00.
Trousers, at \$1.50 to \$3.00.
Underwear, at 50c to \$2.00.
Sweater Coats, at 50c to \$3.00.
Men's wool shirts, at \$1.00 to \$2.00.
Neckties, at 25c, 35c and 50c.
Suspenders in boxes, at 50c.
Kilt Mufflers in boxes, at 50c.
Silk Mufflers in boxes at 80c to \$1.00.
Fancy Handkerchiefs, at 35c and 50c.
Men's linen Handkerchiefs, at 15c and 25c.
Infant Handkerchiefs, at 10c.
Kid Gloves or Mittens, at 50c to \$3.00.
Yarn Gloves or Mittens, at 25c and 50c.
Children's Stocking Caps, at 25c to 50c.
Newport Scarfs and fascinators, at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.
Babies knit wool Shoes, at 25c.
Ladies black Underskirts, at 90c to \$3.00.
Corduroy Coats, at \$3.00 to \$5.25.
Fancy collar bags, at 35c.
"Blissell" Carpet Sweepers, at \$2.50 to \$3.25.
Umbrellas, at \$1.00 to \$3.00.
Silt Cases, at \$1.50 to \$5.50.
Leather Travelling Bags, at \$4.00 to \$6.00.
Ladies Hand Bags, at 50c to \$1.75.
Dainty Handkerchiefs, at 5c to 50c.
Comb and Brush Sets, at 35c to \$3.00.
"Woodworth's" Perfume, at 10c to \$1.00.
Military Hats, at 65c to \$1.00.
Hair Receptacles, at 25c and 50c.
Dressed Dolls, at 10c to \$1.75.
Kid Body Dolls, at 15c to \$1.10.
Rubber Dolls, Doll Heads, with hair or without, at 5c to 50c.
Animal Toys, at 10c to \$1.00.
Harmoniums, at 10c and 25c.

HALL & HUEBEL

Regulation of Robberies.
Says the Philosopher of Folly: "The police will be telling us next that it is impractical to stop robberies, but that they will be judiciously regulated."

Statenman's First Duty.
The first duty of a statesman is the health of his countrymen.

JANESVILLE PEOPLE SEND AND RECEIVE MANY XMAS GIFTS

Men Employed in Handling of Holiday Shipments in Postal and Express Offices Rushed with Work.
Shop early and send early is a motto which has been carried out to a greater extent during the present Christmas season than in any previous year, according to express agents in this city. The amount of express handled already has shown an increase over last year and it is expected that within the next three or four days all forces will be rushed.
The American Express company has hired two additional office men and put two extra wagons on the street yet the force has been forced to work each night in order to keep up with their work. Agent Marvin states the amount of express handled in the local office will probably be twenty per cent larger than last year and his men will have to work all day Sunday to deliver all packages. A large number of packages bearing the label, "Do Not Open Until Christmas," have been sent out from here and received, but many postpone sending presents and a congestion of business follows. This state of affairs will be greatest in the large offices of the express company, principally in Chicago, but the result will be felt here, in delays in the arrival of Christmas packages. Most of the shipments at the present time are from business houses.
An immense volume of small packages is reported at the office of the Wells, Fargo Company express office by Agent James Holsford. None of the express received thus far has been bulky but within the past two days there has been a large amount of Christmas business to handle and it is anticipated that the office and delivery forces will be busier than ever for the rest of the week.
"Business is improving every day and will continue to do so until Friday," said Agent W. D. Barnes of the United States Express Company in this city today. Trading, generally speaking, it seems to be going on quite freely and business with us is good." The United States Express company uses the lines of the railroad companies lines out of this city.

At the Post Office.
The words "Christmas" and "Retail" are considered almost synonymous by members of the local post office force, both clerks and carriers. Carriers going out daily are beginning to resemble a Santa Claus from the size of their packs and if the business warrants it, extra men will be sent out with the regular men tomorrow. Outgoing mail has been heavier and letters, Christmas cards, and packages from nearly points are beginning to come in. The office force has been somewhat handicapped by the absence of two of its members. Assistant Postmaster John Hennings has been forced to lay off on account of sickness and the death of his father has caused Edward Madden to remain away.
The real rush of Christmas week is not due until later, but when it arrives the postoffice will be fairly flooded with Christmas mail. Valuable gifts are sent largely in registered packages, the volume of which in those sent to and from this city and handled through the local office, has shown the effects of the holiday season by a considerable increase.

EDGERTON.
Edgerton, Dec. 21.—There was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wesendonk, who reside on Front street, a baby boy Monday night.
Frank Lester, who is located in Lewiston, Montana, returned to this city last night and will visit friends for a few days, returning to Lewiston on Monday.

The Xmas exercises of the Congregational church will be given at Royal hall Thursday evening, and those of the Methodist church will be held in the church parlors Friday evening.

Mrs. T. B. Earle was shopping in Janesville yesterday.
Frank Murgatroy was in Monroe yesterday on business.

J. M. Harst, proprietor of the Carlton hotel, has left the city. His return is not expected.

James K. Haley of Abbotford, Wis. visited at the home of V. G. Thompson last night.

CHRISTMAS TRAVEL.
For the accommodation of holiday travel train No. 618 of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway will be extended through to Chicago on December 23rd and Dec. 24th, leaving Janesville 8:45 A. M., Detroit 9:45 A. M., arriving at Chicago 11:45 A. M. Full information on application to Ticket Agent of Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

ANNUAL MEETING.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 19, 1910.
The annual meeting of the Mississippi Golf Club will be held at the office of the Gazette Printing Co., Friday, Dec. 30, 1910, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M., for the election of officers and a board of directors for the year 1911 and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
C. H. GAGE, Secy.

AVALON.
Avalon, Dec. 21.—George Maxwell Scott, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Scott, was called by the death angel at 2:30 Friday morning, at the age of four months. Funeral services were held at the home in Avalon, Sunday, at one o'clock. Rev. Wm. Davidson officiating. "Sometime We'll Understand," and "Thy Will Be Done," were beautifully rendered by Richard Overton and Miss Sweet of Shopshire. Mr. and Mrs. Scott have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

CARD OF THANKS.
We sincerely thank the loving friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the death of our darling baby, Maxwell, also for the loving sympathy shown by the many friends, the Ladies' Auxiliary, the Royal Neighbors, and the Avalon society, by their beautiful floral offerings.
MR. AND MRS. GEO. L. SCOTT.

(To be Continued.)

FORMER RESIDENTS LISTED FOR OFFICE

Wisconsin Society Of Chicago Name Slate For Coming Election On January 10th.

Janesville residents are more or less interested in the Wisconsin society in Chicago and many have attended the annual banquets and other gatherings of this organization in the past. The annual meeting and election which will be held January 10th of next year will probably see several former Janesville residents interested into office. The nominating committee having placed the following ticket in the field for the consideration of its members:

For president—August S. Hubbard.
For vice presidents—George R. Peck, Albert J. Farling, Edward F. Ayer, Dr. Frank Billings, George Thomas Kelly, Dr. A. J. Ochsner, Stephen S. Gregory, Chas. Keen and Gardner Lathrop.

For secretary—Allard Smith.
For treasurer—William R. Dawes.
For chaplain—Right Rev. Samuel Fallows.

For board of managers—J. Oden Arnold, Joseph W. Hhor, Melvin D. Sallisbury, Horace Kent Tenney and Walter Fitch.

ATHLETIC CONTEST FOR INTERMEDIATE CLASS

Team Captained by Burdick Carried Off the Most Points in Contest. Last Evening.

Some excellent records were made by the members of the intermediate class at the athletic contest held at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last evening. Burdick's team carried off the laurels, securing the most points. Hennings' team was second, and McCall's third. Some of the records were better than those made by the Seniors. A great deal of interest is manifested in these events and much keen rivalry has been developed. The names of the three highest contestants in each event and their records are given:

Standing two broad jumps, A. Burdick, 17 ft. 3 in.; V. Read, 16 ft. 4 in.; R. Falter, 16 ft. 2 in.
Standing high jump, Read, 4 ft. 3 in.; Burdick and Falter 3 ft. 4 in.
Bar vault, D. Stewart, 6 ft. 2 in.; H. Mohr and M. Thompson, 5 ft.
Dip from front learning post, Stewart and Read, 22 times; Mohr, 25.
Five lap potato race, Read 29 3/5 sec.; Stewart, 30; Burdick, 30 2/5.
Ten best records made, V. Read, 401; D. Stewart, 400; A. Burdick, 323; R. Falter, 315; H. Mohr, 306; V. Hennings, 276; C. Noyes, 233; E. McElroy, 219; M. Thompson, 211; H. Thompson, 185.

The "B" Juniors hold their contest tonight.

OBITUARY

Col. W. B. Britton.
Funeral services for the late Col. W. B. Britton were held from the late residence 337 North Washington street at two o'clock this afternoon. Archdeacon Henry Williams of the Trinity Episcopal church conducted the service at the house and burial place at the grave were performed by the local G. A. R. post. The pall bearers were all members of company G, of which Col. Britton was captain, at the beginning of the Civil war. They were, J. L. Bear, Chas. Viney, David Miller, David Lawrence, Wm. Cullen, and C. W. Robinson. Of six members of the Eagle Regiment who lived in this city, Colonel Britton was the third to die, Geo. Viney and David Conger being the ones to precede him. Colonel Westcott, a prominent attorney of Milwaukee and a member of the Eagle regiment was here for the funeral. Interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Rosa Leek.
The funeral of Miss Rosa Leek took place at two o'clock this afternoon from the home, 514 Eastern Avenue and at 2:30 from St. Paul's German Lutheran church. Rev. C. J. Koerner officiated, delivering a sermon in English at the residence and speaking in the German tongue at the church. Many relatives and friends attended the services, the young ladies with whom Miss Leek worked in a body. There were many beautiful flowers. The body was placed in the vault at Oak Hill cemetery, pending the arrival of a sister, who is expected from Colorado. The pallbearers: William and George Bell, William and Arthur Albright, William Prehmer, and Ernest Rupnow.

John Madden.

The obsequies over the remains of John Madden occurred this morning at nine o'clock, services being held from St. Patrick's church. Father James J. McGinly conducted the services and delivered the funeral sermon, eulogizing the many virtues of the deceased. The funeral was a very large one, a host of relatives and friends gathering to pay their last tributes of love and respect to the memory of the deceased. Members of the Woodmen lodge, of which the deceased was a member, and the janitors of all the public schools in the city, attended in a body. A profusion of beautiful floral emblems and designs showed the esteem and respect in which Mr. Madden was held. The pallbearers were: L. S. Dudley, John McCue, John J. Sheridan, James O'Rourke, and Thos. Donnelly. The remains were laid in their last resting place in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Out of town people who were here for the funeral were: Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, William Campbell, Miss Katharina Cavaney, and R. Robert Donovan of Milwaukee, Miss Kate Quinn of Whitewater, John Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. James Sampson of Chicago, and Miss Annie and Andrew Campbell of Delavan.

Adam Dickson.
Funeral services for the late Adam Dickson will be held Friday afternoon at half past one from the home in the town of Harmony. Rev. C. G. Forsythe will officiate and the interment will be made at the Emerald Grove cemetery.

Prejudices.
We can forgive any man his prejudices—provided they don't conflict with ours.—Life.

THE MAHOGANY TREE

Christmas is here.
Winds whistle shrill,
Icy and chill.
Little care we,
Little we fear
Weather without
Sheltered about
The mahogany tree.

Once on the boughs
Birds of rare plume
Sang in its bloom.
Night birds are we.
Here we carouse,
Singing like them,
Perched round the stem
Of the jolly old tree.



LAUGHTER AND WIT
FLASHING SO FREE.

Evenings we knew
Happy as this.
Faces we miss
Pleasant to see.
Kind hearts and true,
Gentle and just,
Peace to your dust!
We sing round the tree.

Care, like a
dun,
Lurks at the
gate.
Let the dog
wait.
Happy we'll
be!
Drink, every
one:
Pile up the
coals,
Fill the red
bowls,
Round the dining, every one,
old tree.

Drain we the cup.
Friend, art afraid?
Spirits are laid
In the Red sea.
Mantle it up:
Empty it yet.
Let us forget
Round the old tree.

Sorrow, begone!
Life and its ills,
Duns and their bills,
Bid we to flee.
Come with the dawn,
Blue devil sprite;
Leave us tonight
Round the old tree.
—William Makepeace
Thackeray.

He Saw Wood.
The tramp who was told to say nothing and saw wood the next morning knocked at another door but said nothing because he saw wood.

A German Proverb.
The boughs that bear most hang lowest.

Strange.
"I can't understand that now tenant of mine at all."
"What's the matter?"
"She's lived in my house two months now and hasn't asked to have a single room repaired yet."

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"He can bring his audience to snivel or tears at will." "I suppose some he owes, and some of them owe him."

Mysterious Woman.
When a woman declares she's going to bring her husband up with a round turn can she possibly have in mind the hangman's noose?

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So radioactive is the water supplied the city of Balgrade that scientists are searching its source for radium.

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Pure Cider Vinegar, gal., 20c
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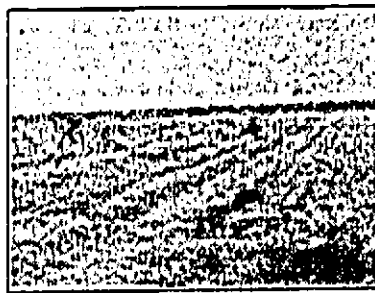
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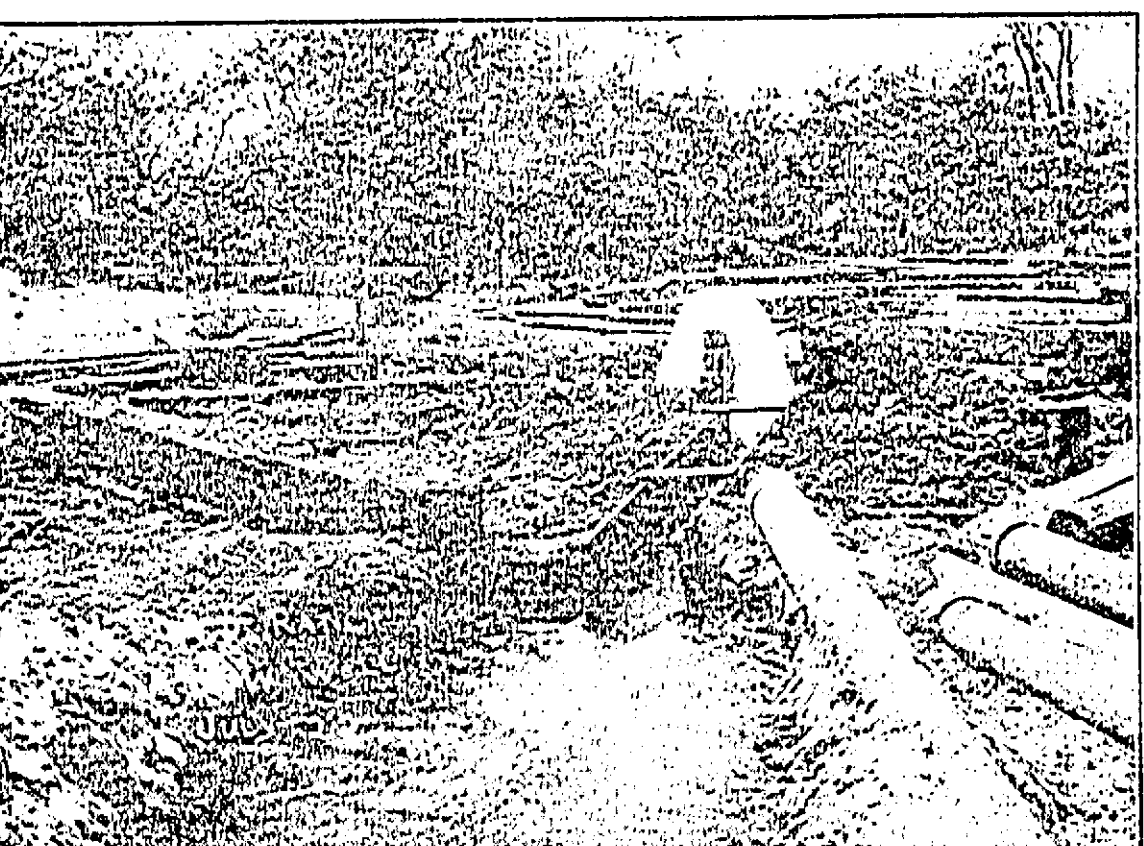
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First Chapter

We show here the owner cultivating his onions after the transplanting in December.



We are going to tell you what a Cross "S" Ranch farmer accomplished in one year, on a small tract planted to Onions. Remember this man was an entire novice, bought his land for \$50.00 an acre, secured his water and got busy. If you visit Cross "S" Ranch, we will let you talk with this man, and you will find that you could not buy his property for \$300 an acre, which cost him \$50 an acre, not over a year and a half ago.



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IL. H. HILSS,
Business Mgr.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of December, 1910.

OLIVE M. HAYWARD,
(Seal) Notary Public.
My commission expires July 12, 1911.

FAITH IN THE OLD SAINT.

Scattered through the columns of this issue of the Gazette, are 440 letters from children, whose faith in the good old patron saint is still unshaken.

This childhood confidence is a choice heritage and as the little missives are read, memory will hark back to other days when Christmas was heralded, in the gray dawn of the winter morning, as the gladdest day of all the year, and all because in some mysterious way Santa Claus had come down the old fashioned chimney in the night and filled the stockings to overflowing.

There are some people living today, who have lost faith in old Saint Nick, but the number is not large, and the pedigree of these skeptics reveals the fact that their childhood environments were abnormal.

Among this limited class is now and then a radical dissever, who argues that it is wrong to deceive a child, but these people are destitute of sympathy with child life and the finer sentiment of the yuletide season.

Many years ago, a familiar figure on the streets of Janesville was a ruddy-faced, white-haired and shaggy-whiskered old man whom the children called "Santa Claus." All he lacked was the sleigh, the reindeer team, and the pack, to complete the picture, so familiar to every child, and as he lived in a secluded spot, just outside the city, his little friends believed that he spent his time in making toys for Christmas.

Just a fairy delusion, with an object lesson, but the children who greeted him, back in other years, are men and women today, and they recall how the vision gradually faded, as time advanced, and out of the fairy dream was born the Christmas spirit, and so they reverence the Santa Claus memory and teach their children to love the old saint.

There are some things, not very tangible, which live through the centuries, generation after generation, with lustre undimmed. One of them is the simple story of the manger at Bethlehem and the babe whose coming meant so much to humanity, and whose birthday heralded the first Christmas morning.

"The life he lived was very brief, and the circle of his acquaintance was extremely limited, but all over Christendom today, men and women, imbued with the spirit which he inspired, are carrying on his work by 'going about doing good.'"

To aid in the work, and bring joy and gladness to child life at Christmas time, the old patron saint is pressed into service, and when the child, who has shared in his bounty, advances to the age of skepticism, it grasps the larger thought and plays the role of Santa Claus and so the good work is perpetuated, year after year.

The Chicago Tribune started a Santa Claus campaign last year under the title "good fellow." It proved so popular that the paper took up the work again this year, and as a result, thousands of neglected children will be remembered. Here are a couple of letters, published yesterday, that tell the story.

"Anything will do only please come, Santa Claus. Nobody ever comes to our house, but I guess you can find it. I'll sit up and wait for you, so you'll come, won't you? Papa died last week and mama and me and my baby sister are not feeling very good. I am 11 years old. I guess you know all about us now."

"I haven't anybody but you now, Santa Claus. My mother and father is dead and me and my little brother live with my grandmother, but she can't give us any presents. Do you suppose you could come? If you do we will be much obliged."

Not many letters of this kind appear in this issue of the paper, but there are a few homes scattered over the Gazette territory, that will not be very joyous unless remembered by some Santa Claus.

This is a big hearted world, after all, and the glad Christmas time brings to the surface the best there is in humanity, and emphasizes the old truth, "It is more blessed to give than receive."

The parcels post bill, which is liable to pass at this session of congress, in spite of opposition, provides for carrying packages up to four pounds. Some 60,000 workers in the steel mills around Pittsburgh have gone to the old country for the holidays, and may not return, as more than half the force have been laid off. The mills employ 250,000 men. The railroads, which are the heaviest customers, are buying light and will continue to do so until they find out where they are at.

Kansas has reformed about everything in sight, and is now engaged in a campaign against whiskey. The Emporia Gazette is leading the fight, and the barbers of the state are enlisted. If they win out, Kansas will be a smooth-faced community.

Many of the bankers and business men of Detroit refuse to attend the annual chamber of commerce banquet if Colonel Roosevelt is invited as one of the speakers. The colonel is not so popular in Michigan as he used to be.

Fear is expressed that arbitration will fail and that the threatened engineers' strike will become a reality. The closing up of sixty railroads, even for a brief period, would be a calamity.

Great suffering is resulting from the garment workers' strike in Chicago, and many of the victims will be unable to find work when the trouble is over.

anywhere in the country, at the rate of 12 cents per pound, and packages up to 11 pounds on rural routes at the same rate. This will stimulate mail order competition and is of doubtful value.

Uncle Walt

THE POET PHILOSOPHER

(Copyright, 1909, by George Matthews Adams.)

By WALT MASON.

Old Robinson stood by himself on the shore, and looked at the murmuring sea. "This island

ROBINSON some people would call CRUSOE probably bore," he said.

"But it looks good to me. No oily-tongued agents can corner me here, and sell me a raft of old junk; no statesman can null me and breathe in my ear a job lot of promises pink. Assassins won't camp on my mid-ocean farm, to pry and to poke, and fill out a paper as long as my arm, and leave me disgusted and broke. Here advent reformers will leave me alone, and perhaps no longer will fret; and no one can call me by long-distance phone, to ask if I've registered yet. I can't run in debt, and I've nothing to pawn—no uncle's at hand if I had; no bank can inform me that I've overdrawn; the first of the month isn't due. So why should I prance on the beach and lament, because I'm forsaken and broke?"

There's nothing to buy and I don't need a cent, and the whole blooming thing is a joke. Leave tears for the spineless and chicken scalded dub who

There's nothing to buy and I don't need a cent, and the whole blooming thing is a joke. Leave tears for the spineless and chicken scalded dub who

The best Christmas bargains are the advertised ones. Read the ads now.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE

A BRAVE SINGER.

Jesus, lover of my soul,
Let me to thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high.

Thus sang Mrs. Rena Cooper, a concert singer of Chicago, on board the Comus, a vessel from New Orleans bound to New York.

On the trip last month, with 300 passengers, the vessel ran into the heart of a Cuban hurricane where the waves leaped mountain high and the wind blew nearly 100 miles an hour.

The ship came to port four days overdue.

Running through the storm the captain could do no more than to keep the ship in the vortex of the hurricane.

The storm grew in volume, and panic spread throughout the vessel. The ship rocked in the trough of the waves until she was on her beam ends and all to venture on deck was certain death.

The terrified passengers clung to the stationary fixtures to keep from being hurled to death, and every moment threatened to be their last.

It was during the worst of the storm that men and women knelt for hours and prayed that the vessel might be guided safely to its port.

Then was heard the glorious voice of Mrs. Cooper.

Above the lashing of the wind in the rigging and above the roar of the awful sea rose the voice—

Other returns have I none,
Thangs my helpless soul on thee.

Hymn after hymn was sung. They were old hymns, hymns that have buoyed mortals and launched souls to eternal rest.

It was a brave voice, vibrant with clinging trust and lofty faith. When the momentary possibility of death faced the despairing people a sweet and unflinching sang the voice.

The singer, however great her future, will never again sing as she sang that day.

Women crouched about her, touching her hands and blessing her garments. They looked upon her as the angel of their deliverance. And when the ship was safe they pressed their grateful thanks with tears of joy.

There may have been, but there was much heart in it.

Like a priestess of the people the singer offered on the altar of distracted souls the incense of a beseeching voice.

After all, what a true instinct that leads man in his direst peril to turn to something higher, stronger, gentler than himself!

And when prayer itself seems powerless and hope is gone the soul will sometimes rise upon the wings of gracious song, which seems the only vehicle that is fit to voice a trembling trust.

The Other Way.

There was a hopeful gleam in the eyes of the young man with a slightly retreating chin as he approached the father of his bride.

"Will you give your daughter to me in marriage, sir?" he asked in as firm a tone as he could muster.

"I'm afraid you are not well enough acquainted with her, young man," remarked the father.

"Why, I've seen her twice a week for nearly a year," said the astonished suitor.

"That may all be," said the parent, "but if you knew much about her character you'd have said, 'Will you give me to your daughter in marriage?'"

A Post's Slip.

A correspondent of London Notes and Queries has "caught out" Mr. Kipling in an extraordinary blunder. He finds it in the "Last Chantry" in these lines:

"Then said the soul of the 'slaves that men throw overboard,"
"Kneeling in the pleanon a weary band were we,

But thy arm was strong to save,
And it touched us on the wave,
And we drew the long, slow tide, till thy trumpet tore the sea."

"Of course," says the commentator, "the word Kipling meant to use was harpoon, the technical term for a slave pen. Pleuron means a rogue."

Cardinal Newman.

Lord Coleridge himself declared that the intellectual force which had most impressed him—and he must have known, I suppose, nearly all of the great men of his time—was that of John Henry Newman.—From Justin McCarthy's Reminiscences.

Uncle Ezra Says.

"The good men do lives after them; the bad they do gets after them."—Boston Herald.

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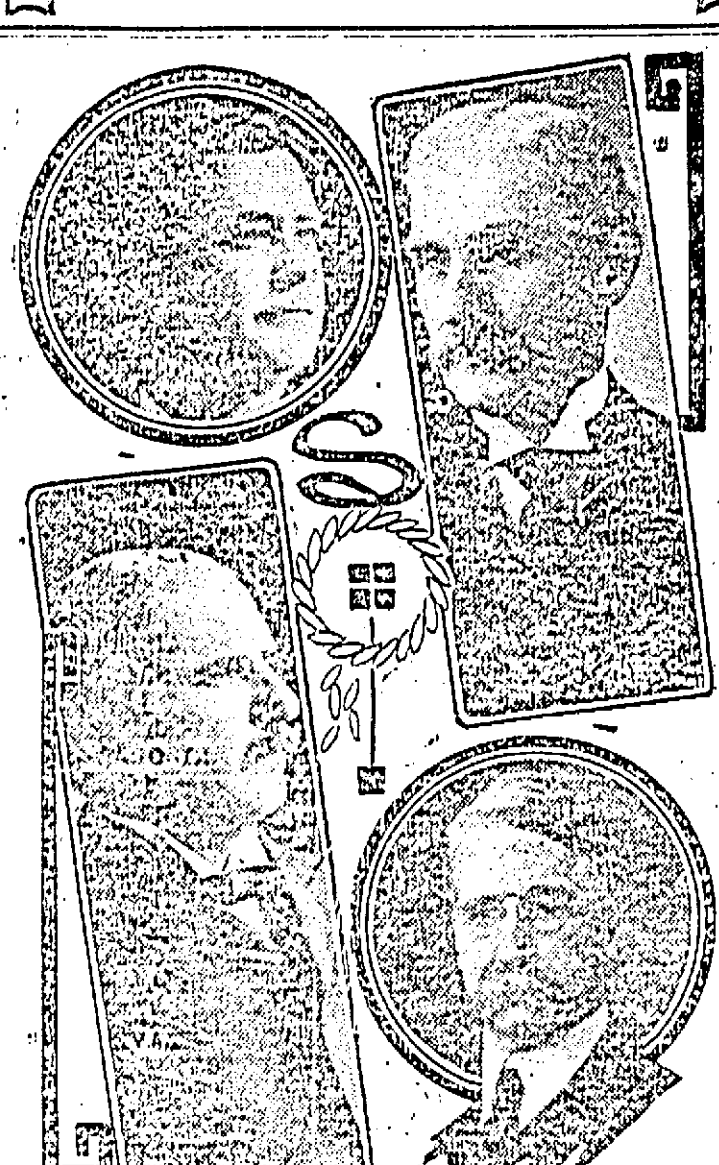
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WILL THE PEOPLE GET VOTE FOR UNITED STATES SENATORS?

Committee to determine whether to recommend letting the states vote on proposition or not. Upper left, Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, member of sub-committee considering issue. Upper right, Senator C. D. Clark of Wyoming, chairman committee on judiciary. Below, two members of sub-committee. At left, Senator Alder Rayner of Maryland; at right, Senator William D. Williamson of Vermont.

To Be Happy.

"To be happy, a woman must not only inspire devotion—she must be able to appreciate it."—A Candidate for Danger, by Evelyn Sherwood.

A Pertinent Question.

"Papa," queried small Lola, who was watching the sun rise, "where does the dark go when daylight comes?"

Keep It to Yourself.

"Narrow trouble for yourself, if that's your nature, but don't lend it to your neighbors."—"Rewards and Punishes," by Rudyard Kipling.

How We Gain Most.

We gain most, not by dwelling on the weak points of our rivals, but by studying their strong points.

FOURTH CHAPTER

Our own train on one of our two railroads, leaving Bermuda onions to market to supply the North, Middle West and San Board cities in the early spring. The two railroads built by Cross "S" Ranch traverse the center of the ranch from North to South and East to West. The North and South road connects with the Great Southern Pacific System at Uvalde. The East and West road connects with the International and Great Northern at Gardendale, thus giving connection with two great competitive trunk lines, which insures a fair freight tariff, and the best marketing facilities in the entire State of Texas.

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Bath Robes

A new sample line, no two alike, priced one-third less than usual. \$1.00 to \$4.00.

FURS at \$10 and \$15. A special showing of attractive values at these prices.

Children's Carniel Coats, red, blue and white, great specials, at \$2.00.

NECKWEAR GIFTS

A great lot of handsome new Neckwear; value to 50c; bought by us under price; special sale, 22c.

Pony Coats

One \$65 value, now \$50. one \$50 value, now \$35. Several other excellent bargains.

\$300 Mink Set

Cost \$200 wholesale. If interested in a good fur call and see it and get our price.

\$2.50 fancy white Waists, spring styles, samples, now offered at \$1.50.

\$5.00 Leather Bag, fitted. Like illustration, priced at \$3.00.

See our Xmas offerings. We can save you money on many items.

COMMON SENSE

Xmas Presents

AT SAVINGS WORTH WHILE.

Out size Flannel Wrappers, sizes 44 to 50, priced especially low at \$1.00 to \$1.50.

An excellent line of new Furs just received today. Samples, at savings of fully a third.

Archie Reid & Co.

XMAS CIGARS

Holiday Boxes, 50 to \$4.

SMITHS PHARMACY.

FOR THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS

"George's Peanut Brittle"

The most wholesome of all sweets, tasty, too. Made from the purest ingredients it is the one best candy for the children's Xmas; just right for filling stockings. The children like its taste and will clamor for more. Don't let Christmas get by without having some of this candy. 15c per lb.

Frank George

211 W. Milwaukee St.

DOUBLE COUPONS

In our cigar department. Ladies buy your Xmas cigars here and commence saving the coupons. Hundreds of valuable presents given away with cigars. We have over 50 different brands from which to choose, and probably just the brand he likes.

A few of our big values.

La Belle Vera, box of 12 50c

DeWitt's, box of 25 1.00

Prince of Cuba, box of 12 50c

Adm. box of 25 1.00

Hollands, box of 25 1.00

Flashlight, box of 25 1.00

Little Gannar, box of 25 1.00

Topo All, box of 25 1.00

Black & White, box of 25 1.00

25 1.00

Earl of Pawtucket, box of 25 1.00

Yankee Consul, box of 25 1.00

Grand Duke, box of 25 1.00

Many others up to 35.00

See our line line of 100s for Xmas. 25c to \$7.00.

SMITH'S PHARMACY

The Retail Store, Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

\$4 Xmas Kodak Box

Everything complete SMITHS PHARMACY.

HURT MORE THAN FEELINGS

Mrs. Pondman—When your pa spanked you just now, it hurt him more than it did you, I think.

Bertie—I'm sure it did; I had a shingle stuck in the seat of my pants.

Pay your subscription to The G

month—it pays.

Oh, Busy Man, Think This Over

One of the happiest women in Rock Co. called yesterday to order a new set of teeth.

Happy because at last her husband had said, "You may go up to Dr. Richards and have some new teeth for a Christmas present from me."

She will look ten years younger and live ten years longer as a result of his gift.

Wives, just show this to your husband and see what he will say.

Dr. F. T. Richards

Office over Hall & Bayles.

Janesville Chemical Steam Dye Works



Party Dresses, Fancy Waists, Kid Gloves, Ties and Shippers. Dry-cleaned. Ladies Dyed to match your sample on short notice.

C. F. BROCKHAUS,
Opposite Myers House.

ESTABLISHED 1855.

THE First National Bank

DIRECTORS
Thos. O. Howe, S. C. Cobb,
A. P. Lovejoy, N. L. Carle,
G. H. Hummel, J. G. Rexford,
V. P. Richardson.

55 years' record of successful banking.

CENTRAL BANK
Organized August, 1855,
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Charter No. 83.
Organized September, 1863.
—Succeeded by—

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Charter No. 2748, July, 1882.

Basket Ball At Rink Wednesday Night

LAKOTA CARDINALS,
vs. **ALBANY, WIS.**

This game promises to be a hummer. Albany defeated the Monroe Cardinals last week and the Lakotas have practically an untarnished record.

Sir Walter's Knicker. "But on the clock," remarked Sir Walter Knicker, as he spread down his velvet garment before Queen Elizabeth. He couldn't resist giving her this little wrap.—Lippincott's.

TRIALS OF THE BANK CLERK

Through Them All He Sticks to Post, Preserves Self Respect and Respect of Others.

One occasionally hears of a defalcation on the part of a clerk in a bank, trust company or other financial institution; but, considering the number of men so employed, the proportion that fall of absolute honesty is small indeed. The young man who is always neat, always courteous, always at his desk to enter your credits or point out your errors seldom forgets that he is dealing with the property of other people; yet as bad influences, as bad environment, as bad examples as are brought to bear upon him from any source frequently emanate right in banking circles, possibly within the very institution which he serves faithfully for a very small salary.

Unfairness in administration is perhaps before him every day; handling of securities and money by the heads of institutions in ways that would be thought improper (not to say dishonest) if employed by the bookkeeper or check clerk is often done with his knowledge and with the knowledge of his fellow clerks; yet he sticks to his post and seldom fails to preserve his self respect and deserve the respect of others.—I. P. Ferris in Leslie's.

Happiness.

"Happiness is like health—those who have the most of it seem to know it the least."—Josh Billings.

LOVEJOY BALL A BRILLIANT EVENT

OVER THREE HUNDRED DANCED TO KRELL'S MUSIC.

BALL-ROOM WAS A PICTURE

In White and Green Tones With Splashes of Scarlet—Final Waltz at Three This Morning.

At Assembly hall last evening, Mrs. Allen Perry Lovejoy, Miss Lovejoy, and Henry Stow Lovejoy entertained over three hundred guests at a Christmas ball which will be remembered as one of the most brilliant and enjoyable society events in Janesville's history.

The ball-room's decorative scheme, in detail and total effect, was more pleasing, perhaps, than anything that has heretofore been attempted. From the great inverted baskets of green and white, suspended from the central area of the ceiling, ran out a network of snowy festoons carrying tiny sprays of pale green leaves, and rings of wisteria which flanked the hanging baskets completed the canopy. The side walls were literally covered with branches of southern holly flecked with white carnations, and lattices about the orchestra stand and overhanging the balcony rail were overhung with smilax, white carnations, and flaming red poinsettias. This newly adopted Yuletide symbol bloomed in real life with a setting of maiden-hair ferns as a centerpiece in the north alcove where elaborate refreshments were served throughout the evening, and palms and clusters of American Beauty roses combined with rugs and handsome furniture to make the reception corner and frappe booth attractive.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen P. Lovejoy and Miss Evangeline Wynn, a debutante of Highland Park, Ill., were in the receiving line and the event marked the formal introduction of Miss Julia Lovejoy to Janesville society.

Krell's Chicago orchestra, with its gifted leader at the piano and J. Cramor, a violinist of temperament and an old favorite back in his customary place, discoursed a series of inspiring dance numbers—each better than its predecessor—from nine o'clock last evening until three this morning. The other musicians were: E. Kozak, cornet; Joseph Churm, trombone; C. Schreyer, drums; C. Wilken, bass; F. Lanz, clarinet; and E. Wagner, flute.

Included among the out-of-town guests were: Miss Evangeline Wynn, Miss Isabelle Underwood of Oak Park, Ill.; Miss Vogdes of San Diego, Cal., who is visiting with Mrs. W. D. Hodson; J. Ritchie Kimball of Chicago, who is visiting with Dr. Frank Van Kirk; Mrs. John T. Thomas of Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. George S. Stewart and Mrs. Alice Thomas of Franklin, Pa.; Earl Coleman of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Harold Hall, Victor Anderson, Lawrence Dwyer, Donald Jeffers, and Miss Dorothy Whithead of Chicago; Charles Tipton of Appleton; Mrs. Evans and Miss Adelaide Evans of Evansville; Miss Leonore Mohrhardt and Roy McCanna of Burlington, Wis.; Mrs. Winchester of Whitewater; Miss Lucy Fox and Louis Jones of Madison.

ALMA E. MILLER WAS GRANTED A DIVORCE

From Kermit J. Miller on Grounds of Desertion in Circuit Court Today.

In circuit court today Judge Grimm granted Alma E. Miller of this city an interlocutory decree of divorce from Kermit J. Miller, residence unknown, on grounds of desertion. The parties separated in 1908.

In the action of W. E. Evenson vs. A. P. Davies, brought to recover on two notes, the court rendered judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of \$127.60.

In response to a petition of David M. Barkas for the judgment of the court upon the opinion and judgment of the superior court, it was ordered that judgment be entered approving the order of the county court appointing David M. Barkas administrator.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. D. Swan is in Milwaukee. J. F. Swenson is a Cream City visitor.

David Zull of Whitewater was a Janesville visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hanlon of Plattsburgh, N. Y., are holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons in the town of Rock.

James Murphy has returned from Beloit college to spend the holiday vacation.

Edw. Barrett was a passenger to Chicago this morning.

Will Hyde is home from Beloit college for the Christmas vacation.

Miss Vera Nelson is home from Milwaukee Downer for the holidays.

J. P. Holmes of Milton is a Janesville visitor.

Miss Leonore Mohrhardt and Roy McCanna returned to Burlington this morning.

P. Kieren and Mrs. F. Kieren of Shullsburg were in the city last evening.

Miss Elizabeth Hogan of Burlington is a Janesville visitor.

H. E. McCoy left today for his home in Roadside, Ind., where he will spend Christmas.

G. E. Walte of Brooklyn, Wis., was in the city last evening.

Victor Anderson, who was here to attend the Lovejoy party, returned this morning to Chicago.

T. E. Welsh went to Chicago this morning.

Frank Daly, a student at Sacred Heart college at Watertown, is visiting in the city today.

Miss Mary Langdon was a visitor in Footville yesterday.

Extinct?

What has become of the old-fashioned boy of whom it was claimed that he was double-jointed? There used to be one in every neighborhood.—Topoka Capital.

First and Last Love.

"It is the last love that makes a fool of the woman, and the first love that makes a man look as foolish as he is."—"Tower of Ivory," by Gertrude Atherton.

SUPPOSED YEGGMEN TURNED OUT TODAY

C. M. & St. P. Ry. Co. Showed No Disposition to Prosecute Them for Tampering With Cars.

William Spamer and Tom O'Day, two supposed yeggmen who were engaged in the pleasant business of throwing switches and starting freight cars down the tracks near the St. Paul roundhouse and who all succeeded in running a switch-engine into the turn table pit, were arrested by Officer Sam Brown last evening and placed in the lockup.

When searched at the station, one of the pair was relieved of a large jack-knife with the blade open. The railroad company, for some reason or other, was not disposed to prosecute and the men were released this morning after being given a severe lecture and warning.

Old Brodin pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness in municipal court this morning and paid a fine and costs amounting to \$3. Frank McNally entered similar plea and his case was adjourned. James Reed was given a "tip-off."

BELOIT COLONY TO MOVE TO FLORIDA

Members of the Church of Christ of the Line City Acquire Southern Lands.

Five families, all members of the Church of Christ, Beloit, are soon to leave for northern Florida, where they have purchased tracts of land upon which they will make their homes. The Beloit colony comprises twenty-seven persons, as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Curry and two daughters, Elsie and Cora; Mr. and Mrs. George Volhard and four children, Adeline, Frances, Clyde and Leona; Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hagelund and four children; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutzinger and three children; Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stout and three children; and Cyrus Capron.

Each of the families and Mr. Capron has purchased a ten-acre tract of improved land about a mile and a half from Lake City, Fla. It is the plan of the Beloit colony to remove to its new holdings as soon as the members have disposed of their Beloit homes. They expect to leave for Florida during the next two or three weeks.

"CORK" LOWERY VICTIM OF VERY SERIOUS JOKE

Claims That Frank McShane Shot Him in the Left Eye Saturday Night—May Prosecute.

According to the allegations of James ("Cork") Lowery, one Frank McShane deliberately discharged a revolver containing a blank cartridge into his left eye, at close range, Saturday evening. When Lowery remonstrated, and subsequently sought to have his friend pay the doctor's bill, McShane is alleged to have reported that it was only a joke. Lowery was looking for the district attorney this morning.

NASH

Turkeys, Geese.

Chickens.

Prime Roasts Steer Beef.
Leg o' Lamb, Leg o' Mutton.
Pure Lard 15c lb.
2 lbs. Cottoisnet 25c.
Lemon, Citron and Orange Peel
Lean Beef for Mince Meat.
Richelieu Raisins 10c lb.
Cleaned Currants 12c lb.
3 lbs. Seeded Raisins 25c.
3 lbs. Bulk Raisins 25c.
Table Raisins 15c.
Fancy Yellow Onions 30c.
Cape Cod Cranberries 12c.
New Leaf Sage.

Minnesota Hard Wheat Flour
Below Cost.
Ben Hur Patent Flour \$1.25.
Don't forget this flour sale.
Best 30c Coffee on Earth.
Best 50c Tea on Earth.
Richelieu Coffee.
3 lbs. Xmas Candy 25c.
All New Mixed Nuts 15c lb.
Fresh Salted Peanuts 15c.
Jersey Butterine 20c.
Good Luck Butterine 22c.
3 large Grape Fruit 25c.
Navel Oranges 30c and 35c.
Celery, Lettuce, Garlic.
Get your order in early.
Solid Meat Oysters.
Walter Bakers' Chocolate 28c.
Jell-O, any flavor, 8c.
Walnut Hill Cheese 20c.
Brick and Limburger 20c lb.
Sylvan Ripe Olives.
Jams and Jellies.
Jonathan Apples.
Fancy Baldwin Apples 40c and 50c peck.
Homo Baking.
Holly and Holly Wreaths.
Fresh Unecda Biscuit.
Cracker Jack.
Golden Rod Buckwheat 35c.
Cane Sugar Only.
Shurtleff's Purity Butter.
4 lbs. Bulk Macaroni 25c.
3 Minnesota Macaroni 25c.
2 Barton's Macaroni 25c.
3 qts. Navy Beans.
Needle Pines and Trees.
Animal Crackers.
GROCERIES AND MEAT.

NASH

POULTRY PRICES REMAIN UNCHANGED

But Little Difference Found in Present Prices From Those of Thanksgiving Season.

That there will be comparatively little change in the prices of the various birds which are so much in demand to ornament the holiday dinner tables, from the figures of the Thanksgiving season, is the statement of the various meat dealers of the city. Many of the dealers have contracted previously for their supply of the Christmas fowls and so are sure of an adequate supply for the holiday market without advance in price. It is the general opinion that chickens and turkeys are plentiful and the only possible shortage that is expected is in the line of ducks and geese. There is a shortage of these birds throughout this section of the country and consequently their price may be a trifle higher than previously.

Turkeys will retail at about 22 to 25 cents per pound; chickens can be purchased at figures ranging from 12 to 15 cents a pound, ducks around 12 cents, and geese at about 15 cents per pound.

Madison butchers report that the supply of poultry goods is scarce around the Capital City, and that there will be a raise of prices in all varieties of holiday fowls. Janesville people will be pleased to learn that the market here remains about the same.

Various other goods for the holiday season are found in abundance in the local markets. Some of the finest offerings in the fruit line that the south and southwest affords may be seen displayed in the grocery stores of the city. Christmas holly and other Christmas greens are plentiful and offered at low prices. Holly retails at 15 cents per pound and is some of the best that has been seen in the market for some time.

Exclusive.

"Don't you desire to be famous?" "No," replied Mr. Goucher. "I don't care to have my name in the encyclopedia along with those of whom I do not approve in the slightest."

London's many clubs.
London has 1,116 registered clubs.

Get Your Order IN EARLY for your Xmas Groceries

3 1-LB. PKGS. SEEDED RAISINS 25c
CLEANED CURRANTS 12c PKG.
NEW CITRON, LEMON AND ORANGE PEEL 15c LB.
4 PKGS. LOG CABIN MINCE MEAT 25c
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT 10c
1-LB. PKG. CLUSTER RAISINS 15c
FRESH WALNUT MEATS 50c LB.
NEW LAYER FIGS 15c LB.
EXTRA LARGE LAYER FIGS 20c LB.
NEW MIXED NUTS 15c LB.
PECANS, FILBERTS, BRAZIL NUTS, ALL NEW, 15c LB.
NEW ALMONDS AND WALNUTS 20c LB.
NEW HICKORY NUTS 10c QUART.
FRESH DATES 5c LB.
WHITE GRAPES 20c LB.
GRATED AND SLICED PINEAPPLE 10c AND 20c CAN.
CAL. SUNKIST NAVEL ORANGES 25c, 30c, 35c AND 40c DOZ.
WINESAP APPLES 60c PECK.
BALDWIN APPLES 50c PECK.
4 LARGE GRAPE FRUIT 25c
1 QT. BOTTLE BOILED CIDER 35c
JELL-O, ALL FLAVORS, 8c PKG.
1 LB. WALTER BAKER'S CHOCOLATE 28c LB.
FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS 5c QT.
ANIMAL CRACKERS 15c LB.
BROKEN MIXED CANDY 10c LB.
CRIMP MIXED CANDY 15c LB.
CHOCOLATE DROPS 15c LB.
DIP CARAMELS AND CHOCOLATE CHIPS 25c LB.
BEST CHOCOLATE CREAMS, ALL FLAVORS AND NUT TOPS 25c LB.

E. R. WINSLOW

FIRE THREATENED TO DESTROY THE RAILROAD HOTEL

Upper Story of One Wing Cutted and Damage of About \$2,000 Sustained This Afternoon.

Fire which broke out in the Railroad hotel at the corner of North Academy and Wall streets about a quarter of two o'clock this afternoon, gutted the upper story of one wing of the building, and damaged the roof and upper floor of the structure to a great extent. The damage to the building and contents by fire and water, it is estimated will reach from fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars.

The fire started in the southeast wing of the structure in the rooms of some of the maids employed at the hotel. It spread rapidly from the wing to the main portion of the building and when the fire department arrived precisely the whole roof was blazing. The hostelry, which is a wooden structure, was dry as a tinder-box, and it seemed that the entire building would be destroyed. Streams of water were thrown on the burning and the members of the department and fire police, with ready volunteers from the crowd which assembled, worked with might and main to put it out and save the contents. The task was quickly accomplished as the fire was under control within half an hour after the wagons arrived.

A large share of the damage done is due to water and smoke. The upper rooms were flooded with water and it flowed in streams through fissures in the floors where electric light wires were run, and down the stairs. Articles of value and personal effects were carried from the rooms occupied by the Carpenter family in the lower floor and from the rooms of the girls and boarders up stairs. Spectators were constantly moving about the rooms and although there was plenty of opportunity for theft, as far as could be learned, nothing was missing. The fire caused a small panic among some of the employees at the hotel, who were lying about distracted or huddled together in excited groups in the dining room, talking over the occurrence. One, the second cook, was heard to remark to a coterie of friends gathered in the upper hall, as he pointed to the ruins of some of the rooms, "Her goes my happy home to the devil."

The building was owned and operated by Charles Carpenter, who at the time of the fire was in Orfordville. An auto was sent out for him and he returned later this afternoon. Mrs. Carpenter was in charge of the hostelry when the fire broke out. In discussing the fire, she made the remark to one of the fire police, "I had a warning of this—about a week ago." What the warning was, was not disclosed.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Chas. Hackwell, town of Bradford, has just purchased a beautiful Newman Bros. piano from H. Nott. It was a surprise Christmas present to his wife.

At U. B. Church tonight: Presiding Elder J. A. Richardson of Fenimore will speak at the United Brethren church tonight.

"EL MARKO" and "RELIANCE" cigars, incomparable for quality and workmanship, at all dealers, in special sizes.

ROESLING BROS. GROCERIES AND MEATS.

BUY YOUR Supplies FOR Xmas Dinner AT Roesling Bros. We will have Turkeys, Geese and Chickens

Roasts of Beef, Pork, Mutton and Veal.
Poultry seasoning per can 10c
Coast Seal Oysters, qt. 45c
New Sage, pkg. 5c
3 lbs. Seedless or Muscatel Raisins 25c
Cleaned Currants, 1 lb. pkg. 12c
If you want good mince pies, buy our bulk mince meat, 2 lbs. 25c
Cranberries, qt. 15c
7 lbs. Sweet Potatoes 15c
Hubbard Squash, each 15c
Imported Mushrooms, can 35c
Carrots, Parsnips and Rutabagas, pk. 20c
Mixed Nuts, lb. 15c
Jonathan Apples, pk. 65c
Black Twig Apples, large ones, pk. 50c
Sunkist Oranges, doz 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c.
3 stalks Dwarf Celery 10c
Fresh Dates and California Figs.
Parsnips and Worcestershire Sauce.
Welch's Grape Juice, bottle 25c
Heinz India Relish, Jar 15c and 25c
Heinz Libby's and Club House Ketchup.
1 qt. Jar Blamarrck Chow Chow 25c
Qt. Jar Olives 30c
Duckies, Club House and Yacht Club Salad Dressing.

We are as near to you as the nearest telephone.
6 PHONES, ALL 128.

JOHN ROOK DIED THIS MORNING

From the Effects of Injuries Sustained When He Fell Between Freight Cars.

John Rook, brakeman on the Mineral Point division of the C. M. & St. P. railroad who fell between two freight cars of train 191 and had one leg cut off near the hip and sustained a double fracture of the other one, at Highland Junction, near Mineral Point, about eight o'clock last evening, died about one o'clock this morning. The remains were to be brought here on the 4:35 train this afternoon and taken to the home of his parents. The deceased was taken to Mineral Point for treatment after the accident. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rook; three brothers—Thomas, James and William Rook; and four sisters—Mrs. Henry Cantwell, Mrs. Talmer, and Margaret Rook of this city, and Mrs. Bennett of Hololt, to mourn his loss.

DOLLS' SUN BONNETS.

We will give to each child when accompanied by its mother, a doll's sun bonnet. Quantity limited. North Star. J. M. Dostwick & Sons.

Regular meeting of Bon Hur Court, Thursday, important business. Annual election of officers. State Deputy expected to be here. W. H. Douglass, chief.

BONDS FOR INVESTMENT

This bank owns and offers for sale first class city and county bonds, public utility companies' bonds approved by the Wisconsin Railroad Commission, and other bonds drawing from four to six per cent interest.

These bonds mature in from six months to twenty years and are in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000.

Our list also includes a few Janesville city bonds and some Janesville city improvements bonds.

ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

Xmas Trees

Small bushy trees, very shapely, 30c to 40c.
Xmas tree holders, 25c each.
Will last for years.
Holly Wreaths, full of berries, 15c.
Natural Evergreen Wreaths 15c.
Xmas Candy of quality. Finest Mixed Nuts, 20c lb. Remember these are all sifted nuts, with liberal quantities of the desirable varieties. There's a difference. Cluster Raisins, 15c lb. pkg.
Jumbo Nut Meats very handsome.
Salted Almond and Pecans, in bulk or packages.
Mrs. Lester's Mince Meat. Fancy bottled Cider, 18c bottle.
Fancy bulk Pickles and Olives.
Big Red Apples.
Real Xmas Apples, 5c each.
Handsome Blacks, 3 for 10c.
Fancy Cheese, a necessity at this season. Drop in.
Hubbard Squash, nice size hard ones.
Sweet Potatoes and Cranberries.
Home made Jelly at 20c and 25c glass. Ask to see it, its worth while.

Dedrick Bros.

Pure Home Made Mince Meat AT 15c LB.

Simon Pure Sweet Cider 35c per gal.
Fancy Holly, 15c per lb.
Finn Christmas trees, 25c to 30c each.
Tangerine or Kid Glove Oranges 30c per doz.
Sunkist Navel Oranges 30c per doz.
Mixed Nuts 15c per lb.
Malaga Grapes 20c per lb.
Large Hubbard Squash 15c and 20c each.
Fine Cabbage, Parsnips, Carrots, Onions, Canadian Rutabagas, Spanish Onions.
Dwarf Celery 15c per bunch.
Coast Seal Oysters 45c per qt.
Full supply Christmas Candy.
Holly Wreaths 15c, 2 for 25c.
Jersey Sweet Potatoes 5c per lb., 6 for 25c.

Taylor Bros.

418-417 W. Milwaukee St.
2 new and 2 old phones.

FAIR STORE

OPEN EVENINGS BEGINNING WEDNESDAY.

Special Prices On Christmas Goods

SECOND FLOOR.

100 pieces decorated dinner sets, that were \$11.50, \$12.50 and \$14.75, at \$10.90 a set.

6 pieces decorated Chamber Sets (inlaid or gold decorated ware, at \$2.50 a set.

Fancy Dishes in Cups and Saucers, Plates, Salads, Chop Plates, Sugar and Creamers, at 10c, 15c, 25c, and 50c and 98c.

3 pieces decorated Porcelain Comb, Brush and Mirror Set, at \$1.50 a set.

Dressed Dolls that were 75c, 98c and \$1.25, at 69c each.

Kid body dolls with unbreakable metal heads, at 50c.

Unbreakable metal heads, at 50c.

Kid Body Dolls, blonde heads, moving eyes, curly hair, jointed, 19-in. doll, at 50c.

21-in. Doll, at 75c.

Shoo Fly Rocking Chair for babies, at 75c and 98c.

Shoo Fly Rocking Horse, at \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Children's Chairs with rockers or straight chair, at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Iron toys, such as Fire Engines, Hook and Ladder, Horse and Carriage, Train of Cars, Circus Wagons, at 5c, 10c, 25c and 45c.

Mechanical Trains on track, at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

China Toy Tea Sets with 6 Cups and Saucers, good sized Tea Pot, Sugar and Creamer, at 50c and 98c a set.

Dolls Leather Go-Cart, with leather top, will hold up to \$1.50.

Steds for boys and girls at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Boys Express Wagon, at 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.45.

Children's Black Boards, at 15c, 25c and \$1.25.

Alger's Books for boys.

Mrs. Mead's Books for girls, at 15c each, 2 for 25c.

Juvenile Books for children, at 10c and the each.

Framed Pictures, at 10c, 15c, 25c and 75c.

Fancy Boxes Writing Paper, at 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c.

Christmas Neckties and Suspenders, in fancy boxes, at 25c each.

BLACKMAILERS MAKE THREATS

Lincoln Davies Gets Letters Demanding Money.

POLICE ARE AT WORK ON CASE

Lives of Family and Destruction of Property Threatened if Money Is Not Forthcoming—Several Letters Sent Marchant.

Utica, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Lincoln Davies, proprietor of a general store at Paris Station, a few miles south of here and reputed to be in good circumstances, was made very nervous by the demand of a gang of New York blackmailers that Davies give up \$200, failing which swift death to Davies, his wife and daughters and the destruction of their property threatened. The first letter containing the demand and threat was received by Mr. Davies early in October. It was postmarked New York city and demanded that \$200 be folded carefully in a common newspaper and sent not later than Oct. 10 to Walter P. Halsey, Hamilton, N. Y., general delivery. Halsey was thrown out in the letter about Davies being mysteriously burned and sudden death coming to children in the case the money was not sent.

"We have received several sums of money lately from farmers near you," concluded the letter, "and I am sure you will be as sensible as they. We assure you that once having received the money you will never be bothered again."

Davies mailed a newspaper clipping, without the money, to the address given at Hamilton and the local authorities had planned to watch and nab the party who received it. There was carelessness somewhere, for the letter went out of the hands of the Hamilton office without an arrest being made.

Recently Davies received a second demand, in which the blackmailers threatened to commence work at once unless the cash was paid over. Mr. Davies kept quiet and a third letter followed, threatening to begin the work of killing the members of the Davies family on a certain date and announcing that the first victim would be the oldest daughter. There was a concession in the letter, however, to the effect that if Mr. Davies was unable to pay the required \$200 at once that installments of \$50 would be gladly received. He was instructed to send this money to Barney H. Gallup, general delivery, Brooklyn, N. Y. A fourth letter followed and then a final one came a couple of days ago. The letters were all in the same handwriting. The police and postal authorities are at work on the case.

TAKE NEGRO MURDERER

Slayer Will Most Probably Be Lynched for His Crime.

Kills Farmer, Assaults Daughter and Sets Fire to House—Confesses to Officials When Arrested.

Intolich, N. C., Dec. 21.—Nathan Montague, a negro, committed three capital crimes, either one of which is enough to secure a sentence of death in North Carolina. He will be lynched if the people in the vicinity of his crime in Hester township, Granville county, are able to get at him.

After assaulting J. L. Sanders, an old farmer, and a granddaughter, he attacked another daughter of Sanders, Miss Mary Sanders murdered the girl and then set fire to the dwelling, after killing the old farmer, already unconscious from blows. The little grandchild was burned alive in the house.

Officers traced Montague, and when caught he had blood and hair on his coat. He broke down and confessed. He is in jail at Durham and a heavy guard has been placed around the jail.

MURDER WEALTHY MEXICAN

Rurales Capture Six Bandits Who Are Charged With Crime.

Puebla, Mex., Dec. 21.—The local authorities have been notified of the murder of Manuel Vargas, a wealthy land owner of Acapulco by bandits.

The bandits then bound the women and servants and robbed the house of \$3,000 in cash. Rurales went in pursuit of the brigands and captured six members of the band.

Something.

"Can you keep anything on your stomach?" the ship's doctor asked. "No, sir," he returned, feebly, "nothing but my hand."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Smarter Than Most.

The Old Guy—"Huh! Driving an automobile, eh? Young man, when I started in life I had to walk." The Young Chap—"You were smarter than most, sir. When I first started in life I couldn't walk."

Very Strange.

"I've observed one strange thing," says the Philosopher of Polly, "and that is that the coming man is always one who has got there."

Go shopping tonight in our advertising columns—Lots of bargains.

SANTA CLAUS SENDS GREETINGS TO ALL

Six Hundred and Forty Of His Little Friends Wrote Him Their Wishes.

In this afternoon edition the Gazette prints some six hundred and forty letters from the little boys and girls of Janesville and the surrounding country, in fact from every locality that the Gazette goes, to the patron Saint of Childhood, Santa Claus.

These letters tell a little story in themselves. Some are from happy homes where every wish will be gratified while others from homes where Santa may not have as much as his little friends desired. Several of the letters have been handed to persons who wanted to give something to those who might not have all they wished and there will be happiness in many families in consequence.

Once a year the children have the opportunity of writing to Santa. The Gazette started the custom some five years ago and each season of Yuletide has seen the number increased. The Santa Claus idea belongs to childhood. It is one of those mystical bonds that tie the young and old and nothing is more dear than the firm belief in the patron saint.

Christmas living is too often promissory.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH - COMMERCIAL CABLES

DELIVERY NO. 13,607

TELEGRAM

RECEIVED AT Janesville

25 CH NE CN 6 Paid --- 9:30 A. M.

North Pole, Dec. 21st, 1910

My Friends, The Children, care The Janesville Gazette,
Janesville, Wis.

A Merry Christmas to you all.

SANTA CLAUS.

enous. The thought handed down through ages of the Shepherds watching their flocks at night and learning of the birth of the Lord Jesus is forgotten and its significance pales beside the tale of the Wise Men of the East who followed the Star of Bethlehem, and brought rich presents of gold, frankincense and myrrh to the infant in the manger.

To the children Christmas means a visit from Santa. He may come by auto, by sleigh, down the chimney or in at the door, but he comes and there is no period of the human existence that is so sweet as the belief in this custom.

It is not a delusion to them but a reality. They have the abiding faith of childhood that they have a friend, somewhere in the mythical region of the frozen north who watches over them to see that they are good and if so rewards them.

So each year the Gazette fosters this belief by throwing open its columns to the publication of these letters. There may be some persons who have written letters for a practical joke. It is often hard to sift the chaff from the wheat, but all but a few of the six hundred and forty letters published are genuine beyond a doubt.

To the little writers Santa sends his Christmas greetings and thanks for their continued belief in his existence. He promises to visit as many as he can on Christmas eve and if each little writer does not get all they have asked for they must not lose faith in good old Saint Nicholas.

BRODHEAD.

Brothead, Dec. 21.—Meadames J. C. Barryman and W. Lewis and son Francis went to Monroe Tuesday evening for a short visit with relatives.

Walter Worley of Judu was in Brothead Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Embinger of Horwyn, near Chicago, arrived home Tuesday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Embinger.

Mr. Carl Dinsor arrived home Tuesday after visiting with friends in Woodstock and other points.

Mrs. W. L. Gehr returned home Janesville, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie McDaniel.

Chas. Cox who has been fireman on the Albany train for the past two or three years has resigned his position and will go to Janesville, where he will take the position as freight conductor on this division of the St. Paul R.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Laube and children of Chandler, North Dakota, are expected home on Saturday to spend the holidays.

Born Sunday, December 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Koller, a son, Master Donald Collins who has been sick with pneumonia, is reported as improving.

Misses Marie Glose and Dora Biese were in Janesville Tuesday to see the letter's brother.

Emosine Ward and Roena Bright went to visit Orfordville friends Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Palmer and sister Miss Martha Woodling of Battle Creek, Michigan, are guests of Brothead friends.

Mrs. Snyder is reported as better.

If a Man Said It?

"When women are doing fancy work with their needles they are often doing embroidery with their tongues."—Maxims and Musings, by the Marchioness Townsend.

If Abe Martin Has No Objection.

Link Gillenwater says no man kin be religious when he's breakin' in a pair of new shoes. More'n half of the coveanants ain't wot they're cracked up to be.

Go shopping tonight in our advertising columns.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 21.

Cattle receipts, 15,000.

Market, 5c to 10c higher.

Beef, 1.05@1.10.

Cows and heifers, 2.50@2.75.

Stockers and feeders, 3.45@3.80.

Calves, 7.25@9.25.

Hogs.

Hog receipts, 21,000.

Market, 10c to 15c higher.

Light, 7.50@7.85.

Heavy, 7.50@7.85.

Mixed, 7.50@7.85.

Pigs, 7.10@7.25.

Rough, 7.50@7.60.

Sheep.

Sheep receipts, 15,000.

Market, 10c higher.

Western, 3.00@4.40.

Natives, 2.00@4.40.

Lamb, 4.50@6.50.

Wheat.

Dec.—Opening, 91½; high, 91½; low, 91½; closing, 91½.

May—Opening, 96; high, 96; low, 95½; closing, 96½.

Rye.

Closing—80½.

Barley.

Closing—60½.

Corn.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 24,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.00@7.75 choice heavy, \$7.00@7.75 choice light, \$7.50@7.65 heavy packing, and \$7.50@7.75 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 5,500. Quotations ranged at \$7.00@7.50 prime steers, \$4.10@4.75 good to choice beef cows, \$4.40@5.25 good to choice heifers, \$5.35@5.65 selected feeders, \$4.05@4.85 selected stockers, \$3.00@3.50 good to choice veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.00@6.00 good to choice lambs, \$4.85@5.00 good to choice yearling wethers, \$3.50@4.10 good to choice wethers, \$3.25@3.50 good to choice ewes.

THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 20.

Food.

New corn—\$1.14.

Feed corn—\$1.05.

Feed corn and oats—\$2.50@2.60.

Oil meal—\$2.00 per 100 lbs.

Standard middlings—\$2.60@2.75.

Oats, Hay, Straw.

New oats—40c.

Hay—\$1.40@1.50.

Straw—40@45.

Rye and Barley.

Rye—78c.

Barley—70c@72c.

Fruits.

Apples—\$4.00@5.00 per bbl.

Poultry Market.

Live fowls quoted at the local market as follows:

Old chickens—8c@8½c, alive.

Springs—6c, alive.

Geese—3c, alive.

Ducks—10c, alive.

Turkeys—17c, alive.

Hogs.

Different grades—\$7.25.

Steers and Cows.

Steers and cows—\$1.50@1.75.

Sheep.

Mutton—\$1.50.

Lamb—8c.

Butter and Eggs.

Dairy butter—23c.

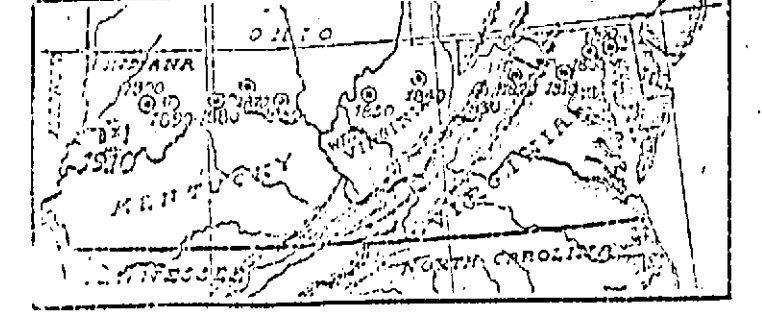
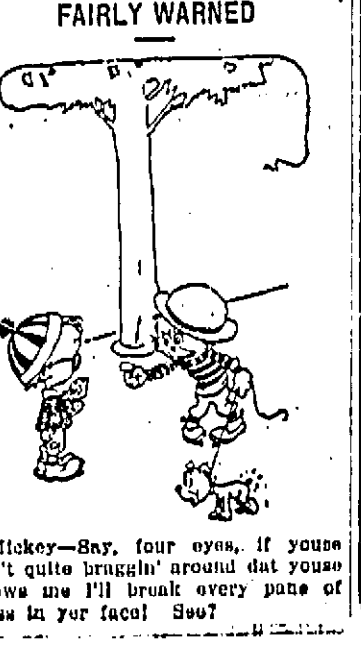
Creamery butter—30c.

Eggs—fresh, 28@30c.

Elgin Butter Market.

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 20.—Butter firm at 30c. Out put for the week, 615,200 lbs.

FAIRLY WARNED



CENTER OF POPULATION NEARER SOUTH.
Map showing centers of population during the various years since 1700.

Washington, D. C.—Census figures so far tend to show that the center of population will be nearer the south than in 1900, unless the great gains in population shown in New York should offset the slower growth of the middle west states north of the Ohio river and as far west as the Missouri.

The "farthest south" for the center of population was in 1820, when it stood at a point 16 miles north of Woodstock, Va. The total population of the country at this time was 4,500,000.

It is interesting to note that since the first census, in 1790, the center of population has moved from a point 23 miles east of Baltimore to a point 25 miles west of Columbus, Ind., a distance of 505 miles.

Except for the sheer drop southward in 1820, this movement of the center of population has been steadily westward, practically on a straight line and slightly toward the southwest, the course almost taking it across the Ohio river at Cincinnati in 1880.

The longest march of the center of population in any one decade was between 1850 and 1860, when it went a distance of 81 miles, from Parkersburg, West Virginia, to Chillicothe, Ohio.

The heavy growth of the southwest in this year serving to check the movement of the center of population due west. The gains in population of Oklahoma and Texas, especially the latter, have been enormous, and to some degree unexpected.

There gains are in striking contrast with the slower growth of the central and upper Mississippi valley states. The rate of increase has also been rather small in the Ohio valley states.

The comparatively poor showing of the great agricultural states of the Mississippi valley, which in former census years have gone forward by long strides, has been attributed to the exodus from that region.

The wheat farmers in these central valleys are attracted by the inducements held out by western Canada, while the stock raisers and others sought new homes in Texas and Oklahoma.

This movement is believed now to have practically stopped. In fact, a return movement from Canada has been noticed for almost a year. There has been no appreciable return, however, from the southwest.



NEWLY ELECTED DEAN OF BARNARD COLLEGE.

Miss Virginia C. Gildersleeve.

New York.—For the first time in the history of Barnard college one of its graduates has been appointed its dean. She is Miss Virginia Cochran Gildersleeve of the class of '99, daughter of Henry A. Gildersleeve, formerly a justice of the supreme court.

The announcement was made by President Butler of Columbia university. Miss Gildersleeve will assume the duties of her office on February 1.

Dean Gildersleeve is 33 years old. She lives with her parents at 28 West Forty-eighth street. At her graduation she led her class. She received the degree of M. A. from Columbia in 1900. Since then she has been connected with Barnard as a teacher or lecturer in English. In 1908 she received from Columbia university the degree of doctor of philosophy. During the present year she has been an assistant professor and the only woman at Barnard giving graduate instruction in the university. Her special field is Shakespeare and Chaucer. In 1908 she published a book entitled "Government Regulation of the Elizabethan Drama." She is the author of an argumentative brief now in use in Barnard. In addition to being an energetic student she is devoted to athletics, is fond of fishing and is an ardent golfer and expert rifle shot.

Her father ascribes his daughter's success to system in study. Miss Gildersleeve is extremely popular with Barnard students.

Real Kind of Man.

A man who is worth calling a man is not the man who tries to see how much he can get, but the man whose object is to see how much he can do without.

Sincere Praise.

Post—"Did she think my sonnet was good?" Friend—"She must have. She didn't believe you wrote it."

Lifting Power of Magnet.

A wrought-iron electromagnet, having a core of one square inch area, can be made to carry 150 pounds, the lifting power of larger ones being in the same proportion.

Use of Electricity.

The use of electricity for light and power in the United States has more than doubled in the last eight years.

FIFTH CHAPTER

Famous Bermuda Onions raised on Cross "S" Ranch, at maturity. This onion is placed on the market early in the year, many weeks ahead of the same product in any other section, thus commanding the very highest price in the largest centers in the country.

Souvenir

December 22-23-24th

China Figures and Trays

In addition to the usual Checks with 35 cent purchases

Spices, Extracts, Cocoa, Chocolate, Tapioca, Corn Starch, Tea, Coffee, etc.

CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

1 lb. pkg Seeded Raisins 9c

1 lb. Bag Japan Rice 5c

MILK

Magnolia 11c Eagle 15c Challenge 10c

Peerless Evap. 5c Peerless Evap 9c

18 S. Main Street

Janesville, Wis.

New phone 1036.

Old phone, 5782.

Brownie Kodak Xmas Box \$4

JUST THE THING FOR YOUR BOY OR GIRL.

Everything in Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

SMITH'S PHARMACY, The Rexall Store

Gifts For The Younger Folks

This store is literally full of useful and appropriate gifts for boys and girls. You will have pleasure in seeing these gifts and many others in our large display of excellent gifts articles. Here is a substantial addition to our Christmas list. Any boy or girl would give a warm welcome to any of the following articles

Prices here will be found very moderate.

Polo Sticks, 10c to 50c each.

Indian Clubs, 25c to \$1.00 a pair.

Dumb Bells, 50c to \$1.00 per pair.

Chests of Tools.

Sleds, 50c to \$4.00 each.

Pioneer Flyer, hand car, \$5.00.

Tricycles, \$5.00 to \$8.50.

Velocipedes, \$1.25 to \$3.00.

Roller Skates, 75c, \$1.25 and \$2.75.

Ice Skates, 60c, 90c, \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$5.00.

Footballs, 75c to \$5.00.

Boxing Gloves, \$1.50 to \$7.00.

Air Rifles, 75c to \$1.25.

22 Cal. Rifles, \$1.50 to \$12.00.

H. L. McNamara

If it is Good Hardware McNamara has it.

BLACK HAND FACES "PEN".

Marie Rappa Found Guilty in
Gotham Kidnapping Trial.

JURY WAS OUT ONLY 15 MINUTES

Joseph Longo, Boy Stolen, Tells Story
of Being Lured Away from Home
—Woman Claimed She Was
Tool of Husband.

New York, Dec. 21.—Marie Rappa, alleged queen of the kidnapping band which was rounded up in a raid on the headquarters of the "Kidnappers' Trust" at No. 330 East Sixty-third street, testified in her own behalf at her trial before Judge Fawcett and a jury in the county court, Brooklyn. Mrs. Rappa admitted that Joseph Longo, with whose abduction she is charged, had been in her home. She claimed, however, that she was a tool of her husband and did not know the child had been stolen.

"My husband brought the boy to me," she testified, "and told me that he was the son of a friend of his. This man was going away and my husband said he was being paid \$2 a week to keep the boy."

Under cross-examination by District Attorney Clarke, the woman said she did not know how old she was, or the name of the town in which she was born. She could not recall when she met her husband or the time of their marriage, and declared that, during the four years she had lived in the Sixty-third street house she never spoke to any of the other tenants. The Rappa woman took the stand after Clarke had closed his case with the testimony of the Longo boy.

Joseph, the kidnapped boy, told in detail of being lured away by a man with a striped sweater, and of being taken for a long ride on the cars. Later, he said, he was taken to the room in the Sixty-third street tenement. There he met the Rappa boy, who had also been kidnapped. The two became friends. Michael, the witness testified, was taken away the day following their meeting and he did not see him again. The boy positively identified the Rappa woman as the person who had guarded him most of the time he was a prisoner.

"She was kind of good to me," said the lad, "but some times she got angry. I had to sleep on rugs. She told me to always keep away from the windows because she didn't want me to be seen. A lot of men used to come to the house. A big tall man with a dark mustache was in the room most of the time with the woman. When any one would come he would knock on the door and say, 'Poppa' and they would be let into the room."

The boy said that the man with the dark mustache had cut off a lock of his hair with a pen knife. This was the lock that was sent to his parents paroled with the letter demanding \$15,000 ransom.

Marie Rappa was found guilty and remanded to jail by Judge Fawcett for sentence on Dec. 27. The maximum penalty is fifty years, the minimum is five.

Judge Fawcett said that the verdict would be far-reaching in its effects, and that it was the severest blow dealt the Black Hand since he had been on the bench. The jury was out fifteen minutes.

APPOINTS NIBLACK RECEIVER

Will Adjust Claims of Chicago National and Home Savings Bank.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—William C. Niblack, formally was appointed receiver for all claims of the Chicago National and Home Savings Bank by Judge Tuttle in the circuit court. The order was entered in the suit of the minority stockholders against Cornelius K. G. Billings and the majority stockholders to prevent the acceptance of \$150,000 from Billings in lieu of his liability as a bank director.

In the order entered the court ordered the defendants to turn over to the receiver all documents and papers in their possession relating to claims of the bank and restraining them from interfering with the receiver in the prosecution of suits for claims. An appeal to the appellate court was allowed.

MAIL HACK IS DISCONTINUED

Government Economy Eliminates One of Few Indiana "Stages."

Kokomo, Ind., Dec. 21.—The mail hack running between this city and Young America has been ordered discontinued Dec. 24 by the government.

The hack has been run for half a century. The Young America postoffice will be served by rural carrier out of Galveston. The government will effect quite a saving by the change.

HEAVY INDIANA SNOW STORM

Ten Inches of Snow Causes Great Delay on Interurban Lines.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 21.—Northern Indiana is in the grasp of a snow storm blizzard. Ten inches of snow have fallen in this city and there is great delay on the interurban lines on account of the drifting snow.

Just say: "I saw it advertised in The Gazette" and the merchant will know exactly what you want.

Watch the advertising columns for the best Christmas suggestions.

DR. SIMON FLEXNER

Head of Rockefeller Research
Institute Who Is Seriously Ill.



SUFFERING OF STRIKERS

Many in Chicago Face Starvation and Freezing.

Women Garment Workers, with Babies in Arms, Plead for Aid at the Commissary Stores.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Suffering and want in the ranks of the 45,000 striking garment workers reached a climax. With the temperature at near zero, hundreds of strikers, without fuel, food or adequate clothing, faced starvation and freezing.

Pitiful appeals for coal, clothing and food were made by shivering strikers who thronged about the commissary stations. Other strikers, almost in bare feet, trudged through the snow and ice to meeting halls, where there was at least warmth. There they huddled about the radiators and discussed the outlook.

Women with babies in arms, blue with the cold, pleaded for aid at the commissary stores. They were assisted as quickly as possible. Others, many of them ill, were forced to leave their homes owing to the extreme cold and take refuge with neighbors.

With these conditions existing, and without hope of any speedy settlement, or their dispute with the employers, dependency struck the ranks of the strikers. Settlement through arbitration, unless such men as Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell or Theodore Roosevelt could be induced to mediate, is considered impossible by both strikers and manufacturers.

PRISONERS TO BE FREED

Forty-Eight Men to Be Paroled from Atlanta Prison.

Names of Convicts Withheld, But List Is Said to Include Green and Gaynor, Convicted of Frauds.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 21.—Forty-eight prisoners in the United States prison here are to be released on parole as the result of recent hearings by the parole board, according to statements made by federal officials. The names are withheld, but it is said John B. Green and W. J. Gaynor, who were convicted of complicity with Capt. Oberlin M. Carter in the Savannah harbor frauds, are among those to be released.

Green and Gaynor were sentenced to four years and their term expires next year. They were convicted after being brought back from Canada, where they fled after forfeiting heavy bonds. The frauds of Green, Gaynor and Carter in Savannah harbor, robbed the government of several millions.

DRISCOLL LOSES TO WELCH

Fighter Disqualified for Butting in Bout at Cardiff, Wales.

Cardiff, Wales, Dec. 21.—Fred Welch and Jim Driscoll met here in a 20-round match for \$500 a side and a purse of \$12,500. Driscoll was disqualified in the 10th round for butting. Driscoll cried with vexation and disappointment as his friends led him off. Experts thoroughly approved of the decision, but a large section of the 6,000 spectators yelled in rage and began smashing the chairs. Meanwhile the respective seconds bandied words in the ring and fell to hitting each other. The police quickly separated them and cleared the hall. Mr. Driscoll of the National Sporting club was referee.

Hart Beaten in Third Round. Sapulpa, Okla., Dec. 21.—Marvin Hart lost his fight here to Carl Morris in the third round.

Texas Convicts Freed. Austin, Tex., Dec. 21.—Gov. Campbell has issued forty-eight Christmas pardons to penitentiary convicts. He will issue about thirty more today, it is stated.

Excellent Xmas Values. The handiest thing on your desk—a scratch pad. Good big block for 50 at Gazette office.

HENS ATE DEADLY DYNAMITE

Now Their Owner Does Not Dare Go Near Them and Is Afraid to Eat Their Eggs.

Winnet, Conn.—A man who has a small farm a few miles from this town does not dare to trample on a small portion of it, and is afraid to eat his own hens' eggs. Heavy fowls he had been fattening for Thanksgiving are immune from death for the present, so far as his killing them is concerned.

Dynamite is the cause of his trouble. He opened two one-pound sticks of the explosive, into which a little frost had found its way, and after breaking the cylinders into pieces spread them on a flat stone in the sun to dry. He meant to use the dynamite in a lot he is clearing.

When he went to get the explosive after he had drilled holes in a big boulder, he saw a flock of his hens scratching in the dynamite, and eating it as they would eat small gravel. That's why the farmer does not dare to eat his own hens' eggs, for he fears particles of dynamite may lurk in the shells.

"Who knows where that dynamite they ate is now?" he said, sadly. "Suppose it's got into the shells? Think I'd run the risk of cracking one of those eggshells? Yet how are you going to eat eggs without breaking the shells?"

And there's the story in an eggshell. The puzzled farmer cannot tell by the looks of his hens which ate the dynamite; therefore he doesn't dare to eat any of them at Thanksgiving. As for swinking heavily on their heads with an axe he shudders at the thought.

HORSE GETS SHOE REPAIRED

Animal Leaves Barn, Goes to Blacksmith and Returns Without Owner's Knowledge.

New York.—"Old Joe" if he is blind in one eye and weak in the other, possesses plenty of real horse sense. For years he has hauled an express wagon over a fixed route, his only side trips being to Carroll, the horseshoer, in Christopher street, between Washington and West streets.

The other morning Joe was left in the stable because his right forefoot shoe needed fixing, and Dan Barry, Joe's driver, had no time to take him around to Carroll's before business hours.

"Half an hour later Joe stopped in front of the Carroll blacksmith shop. 'Ain't that Barry's horse?' asked Carroll of his assistant. 'It sure is. Must have run away,' was the reply. 'Run away nothing,' said Carroll. 'That horse never runs away.'"

Joe raised his right fore hoof as if it hurt him. Carroll looked it over. "That hoof's all right. Only needs a new shoe," was the mental note of Carroll. The new shoe was fitted. Next thing Carroll knew Joe was trotting away.

"Well, what if you think of that?" exclaimed Barry, when he came back and found a new shoe glistering on Joe's foot in his stall. "He went and got himself shod, and I'll bet he told Carroll in good horse talk to have it charged."

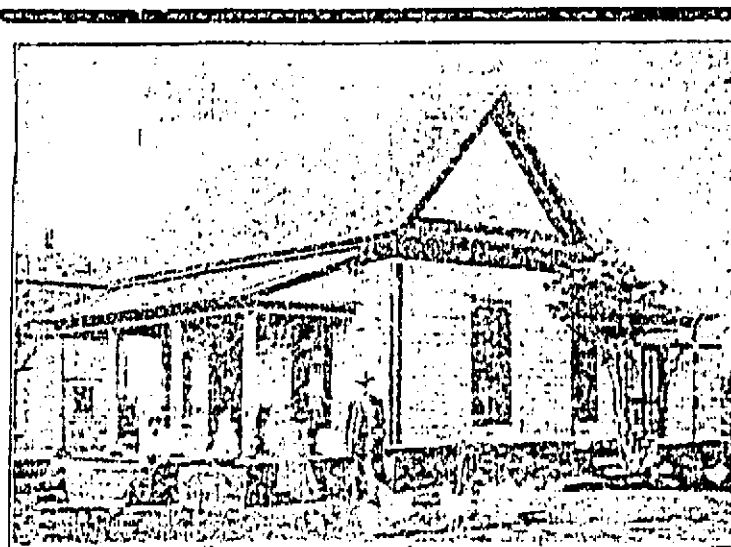
Butter Most Nutritious. Analysts say that butter is the most nutritious article of diet, and that bacon comes next.

Read the ads tonight.



TO SEEK SOUTH POLE FOR AMERICA—AT LEFT, HARRY WHITNEY; AT RIGHT, CAPTAIN BARTLETT.

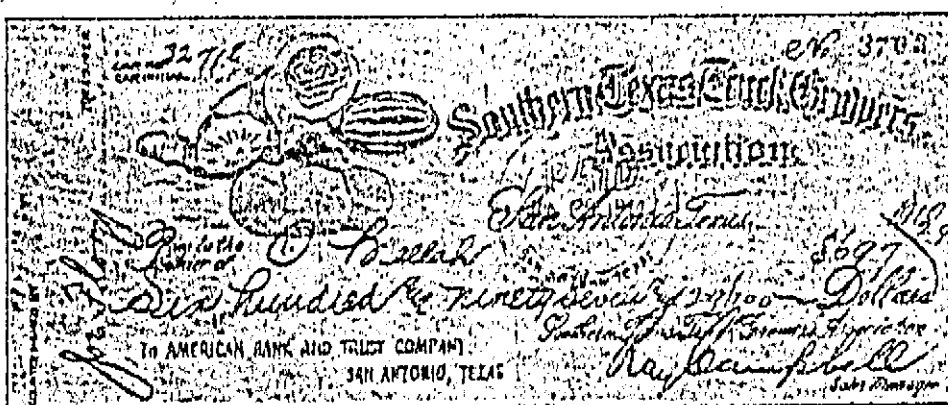
New Haven, Conn.—It is now definitely assured that Harry Whitney and



SEVENTH CHAPTER

THE TYPE OF HOME-OF THE CROSS "S" RESIDENT

This man is his own boss, has his family, babies and chickens. He is independent and happy, not afraid of losing his job, is living an out of door life, can farm his land twelve months in the year, requires no cellar under his house as he raises his table supply from month to month as needed, and has absolutely no fuel to buy. Do you Northern farmers and town residents realize how far your fuel bill would go towards keeping a family in the Sunny South under these conditions?



SIXTH CHAPTER

Two checks given by Ray Campbell, Sales Manager of the Southern Truck Growers' Association, with headquarters at San Antonio, Texas, for two acres of Cross "S" Ranch Bermuda Onions.

We cordially invite all who are interested, or so desire, to write Mr. Campbell regarding any details. These two checks are respectively for \$637.94, drawn on the American Bank & Trust Company of San Antonio, Texas, and the other for \$664.42, and are numbered 3718 and 3676.

Captain Bartlett, who commanded the "Roosevelt" on a memorable trip to north pole honors, are to start next year in search of the south pole. With an Englishman already in the field, a Jap on his way south, and two Americans preparing for the trip, the race will be an international one. The experience of Whitney and Bartlett will stand them in good stead, and unless the other explorers reach the pole first, it is thought the honor will be brought to the United States.

Sure to Be Rescued. Young woman missing from home is described as one of the best cooks in Harlem. There should be no trouble organizing searching parties to go in quest of a young woman with that record.—New York Herald.

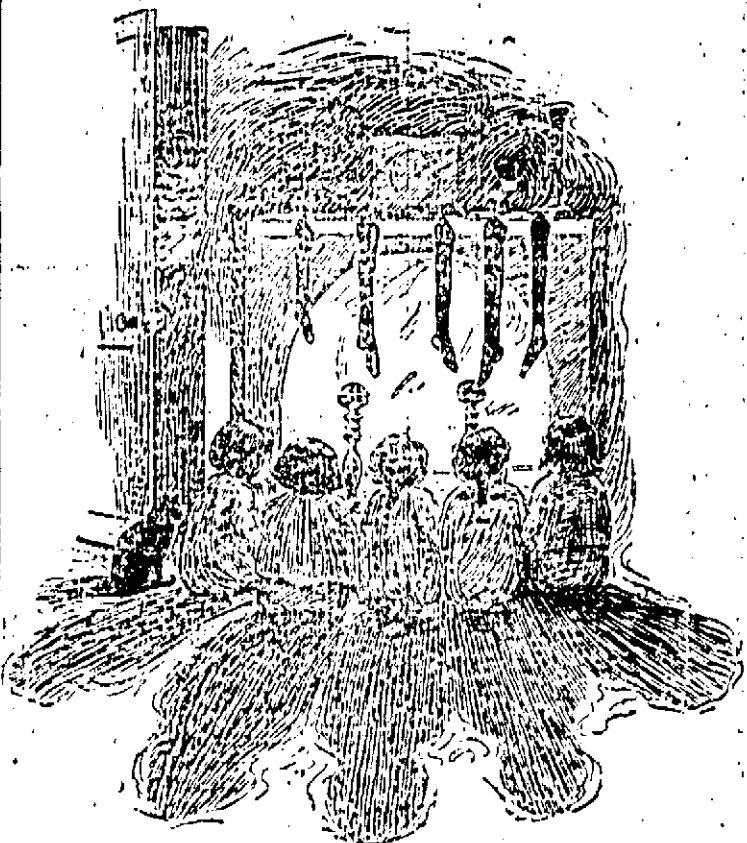
Wrongly Chastised. "It sometimes happens that in this life we are chastised more severely for our mistakes than for our misdeeds."—"The Wisdom of Folly," by Ellen Thornycroft Fowler.

The best Christmas bargains are the advertised ones. Read the ads now.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

Have You Decided Yet?

- BUY AN UMBRELLA
You can't go wrong.
- BUY A NICE PAIR OF FEATHER PILLOWS
One-third of our time should be spent in sleep and you will be comfortable on the kind we sell.
- BUY A RUG
A substantial gift and you can save money by buying during December.
- BUY A COUCH COVER
Every home should have at least one.
- BUY A SWEATER COAT
Our assortment is large.
- BUY A FANCY PILLOW
Did you ever hear of anyone having too many?
- BUY A KIMONO
It is easy to get a pretty one here.
- BUY A FANCY SILK WAIST
They afford an easy change.



- BUY A PAIR OF SILK HOSE
You will be surprised how good our dollar ones are.
- BUY A SILK PETTICOAT
The desirable styles are all here.
- BUY A GLOVE CERTIFICATE
Men find that it solves a hard problem.
- BUY AN ART LEATHER TABLE COVER
New exclusive styles.
- BUY A HAND BAG
Hundreds to select from.
- BUY A NEEDLE CASE
A most useful gift. See them at left of entrance.
- BUY A NICE PATTERN CLOTH
Round or square, all sizes, variety tremendous.
- BUY AN UNDERMUSLIN OUTFIT
Dainty underclothes appeal to all women and misses.
- BUY A PAIR OF BLANKETS
The desired style can be found here. See the lovely plaids.
- BUY A PARTY GOWN
We show some lovely creations, not too high.
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Everybody has to have them.
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SHEPARD OPPOSES BOND REGULATION

Appears as Witness Before Securities Commission.

URGES PUBLICITY TO STOP EVILS

Admits Constitutionality of Federal Charter Law, but Doubts Wisdom of Federal Interference in Issue of Rail Securities.

New York, Dec. 21.—Edward M. Shepard, who wants to be United States senator, was a witness before the Railway Securities commission. Mr. Shepard announced at the start that he was opposed to the general principle of the federal regulation of the issue of railroad securities. He could not understand how a railroad bond issue could be construed as any part of interstate commerce, and consequently could not see why the federal government should subject it to regulatory scrutiny. Furthermore he had no doubts of the constitutionality of a federal charter law. But, aside from all questions of legality, he very much doubted the wisdom of governmental interference. Such matters he thought best left to the more interested attention of bankers, brokers and investors. A far more effective regulatory means than that proposed, for the government would be the dynamic forces operative in such cases.

Mr. Shepard said he favored the issue of stock without par value. "It will substitute a harmless fiction for what is now sometimes a harmful fiction," said Mr. Shepard. The nominal value of shares of stock assures nobody, and it often misleads everybody. So far as the relation between nominal capitalization and rates is concerned, Mr. Shepard could see no particular connection, but he did hold that if it were proposed to base rates upon value, actual and not nominal, capitalized value should be taken as a basis. Nor could Mr. Shepard see any connection between nominal capitalization and the quality of service rendered by a public corporation.

When questioned in detail in regard to the provisions of the bill prepared by a committee of which he was a member, advocating the issue of stock without any par value, Mr. Shepard said that he believed such a measure would prove a remedy for most, if not all, of the present evils of stock issues. Although he could not say dogmatically that it would be unconstitutional for the government to require federal incorporation or to regulate the capitalization of corporations engaged in interstate commerce, Mr. Shepard declared that the enforcement of the utmost publicity in the whole matter of issues would in the end accomplish all the reforms sought.

That the government should undertake to protect the interests of private investors he held to be unwise. He emphasized the necessity of the full and complete publicity of reports, schedules and the transactions of railroad directors.

DAUGHERTY'S SON WEDS

Draper Daugherty Marries Miss Dessa Gibson, an Actress.

Bride Was Member of Theatrical Company When She First Met Her Future Husband.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 21.—Word came to this city that Draper Daugherty, son of Harry M. Daugherty, a Republican politician, had married Dessa Gibson, a member of the "Midnight Sons" company.

Young Daugherty has been in Cleveland for the last six months, employed as a writer for an automobile concern. When the "Midnight Sons" company came here, he took his overalls and attended the show. He became acquainted with Miss Gibson. Week ends he spent hunting to towns in which the company was playing and last week, when the show played in Columbus, young Daugherty took his overalls for good, went to that city and married Miss Gibson. She gave her name to the license clerk as Miss Dessa Stevens Donlavy.

Daugherty's father has been a conspicuous Republican for the last decade and has served several terms in the Ohio house of representatives.

ARREST C. GILBERT WHEELER

Faces Charge of Adulterating and Misbranding Headache Powders.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—C. Gilbert Wheeler, president of the Wheeler Chemical Works, counsel for the Republic of Panama and at one time an instructor in the University of Chicago, was arrested here upon orders of A. R. Hulbert, assistant United States district attorney, on a charge of adulterating and misbranding headache powders.

Rioting in Barcelona. Barcelona, Dec. 21.—A big meeting was held here to protest against the municipal management. It ended in a riot, in which there was much window smashing.

Just say: "I saw it advertised in The Gazette" and the merchant will know exactly what you want.

The best Christmas bargains are the advertised ones. Read the ads now.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

Who Has Given University of Chicago \$10,000,000 Gift.



MILLIONS FOR SCHOOL

John D. Rockefeller Gives \$10,000,000 to University.

Oil King Makes Gift, Stating It Will Be Last One to School Created a Great Sensation.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—John D. Rockefeller has given the University of Chicago another \$10,000,000. Announcement of this fact was made at the university convocation by Martin A. Ryerson, chairman of the board of trustees. The Standard Oil magnate said in making the gift that he retired from all connection with the university and would give it nothing more. His total gifts in twenty-one years aggregate \$35,000,000.

Mr. Rockefeller began making donations to the university in May, 1889, and has continued yearly ever since. The gift, together with the announcement it was to be the final one, created a sensation among the faculty and students.

STOLEN PAINTING LOCATED

Famous Van Dyke Held by Customs Authorities Pending Inquiry.

Boston Dec. 21.—It is supposed that a famous Van Dyke painting, stolen some time ago from a private art gallery in Germany, valued at between \$50,000 and \$75,000 was sold to a Boston firm for \$40.

If the painting is the real missing Van Dyke, it has been in Boston for almost a week and it came here consigned with a lot of other goods to Koopman & Co., art and antique dealers. Now that its real identity is suspected, the customs authorities have refused to deliver the picture and are holding it subject to orders from the treasury department.

MARKHAM TO HEAD CENTRAL

Will Be Chosen President of Illinois Central Road at Meeting Today.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Charles H. Markham, president of the Gulf-Bellington company of Pittsburg, will be elected president of the Illinois Central railroad at a meeting of the board of directors to be held in New York today, according to the forecast.

Reports have been current for some weeks that the Pittsburg man was slated for the office from which Mr. Harahan will be forced to retire when he reaches the age of 70, as he will do in January.

FIRMIN FREED IN JURY TRIAL

Killed Two Men on Troop Train Returning from Encampment.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 21.—A jury at Hillsboro, Tex., acquitted of murder Philip M. Firmin, the Dallas national guardsman, who shot to death on Aug. 13 last two comrades, Albert H. Puckett and Warren Williams, both of Dallas, on a troop train returning from a state encampment.

It was proven Firmin killed Puckett for indignities he was subjected to years ago. Williams was killed accidentally by shots fired at Puckett.

JAPANESE OFFICER VISITS U.S.

Lieut. Rose Goes to Newport to Inspect Navy Yard.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 21.—Lieut. S. K. Rose, of the Japanese navy, with credentials from the navy department has arrived here to inspect the navy plant, which includes the torpedo station, training station and naval war college.

"The inner sects" were not displayed, but the little Japanese officer who is on special duty for the Mikado's navy, closely observed every thing within range of his eyesight.

True Friendship. True friends have no solitary joy or sorrow.—Channing.

Read the ads tonight.

CANCER CURED BY VACCINE

Dr. P. K. Gilman, Professor of Surgery, Makes a Remarkable Discovery in Philippines.

San Francisco.—Cancer, the disease which has baffled medical science for over a hundred years, may be conquered at last. Dr. P. K. Gilman of Oakland, professor of surgery in the Philippine medical schools and surgeon in chief of the Philippine general hospital at Manila, believes he has discovered a vaccine which will stop the ravages of the dreaded disease.

With this vaccine Dr. Gilman has cured 20 cases of cancer in Manila. In his laboratories there he has been working for three years on his discovery, and is now ready to give to the world the fruit of his labor. He has prepared an article for publication in the Journal of Science, a medical and scientific review published by the Bureau of Science of the United States, in which the details of the cure will be made public for the first time.

Dr. Gilman has been asked to demonstrate his discovery before the Royal California Institute at Havana. He has been in communication with Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute in New York city, which was established for the study and cure of cancer, and Dr. Flexner is greatly interested in the discovery. He has written Dr. Gilman for details. Dr. Gilman says that his vaccine is a homogeneous suspension of dead bacteria in physiologic salt solution, mixed with a preservative. It is taken from the tumor itself.

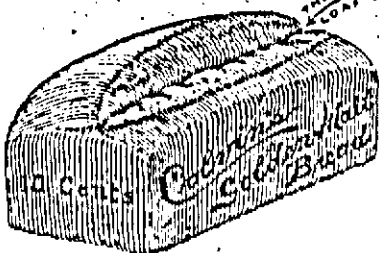
In perfecting this vaccine Dr. Gilman was assisted by Dr. A. E. Cohn, pathologist in the Bureau of Science at Manila. If it proves to have the curative properties claimed for it, it will create a sensation in the medical world. Vaccine has never been resorted to before, surgery and electricity being the only known methods of curing the disease, those having been used with only small success.

Dr. Gilman was born in Oakland and was graduated from the Oakland public schools. He received a degree from Leland Stanford University in 1901 and finished a three-year course at Johns Hopkins in 1905. He returned to his home in Oakland on the transport Logan a week ago on a six months' leave of absence. He will return to Manila next January.

German Danger Sign. A zigzag arrow has been adopted in Germany as a danger sign to be displayed on high tension electrical apparatus.

A Woman's Reason. One reason a woman wants her husband to go to heaven is because he will then see how beautiful she can be when she doesn't have any housework to do.—Galveston News.

Don't merely call for THE SPIT LOAF



If you want the genuine spit Loaf you must be careful. The loaf is made of pure wheat flour, yeast and water. It is baked in a special oven and is the only loaf of its kind. It is the most popular bread on the market.

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Is it worth while for the business man and farmer to become interested in a piece of property that inside of one year they would not sell for four times what they paid for it?

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See the intensely interesting film "A Fight For Millions" from the Yankee Film Co.

Sellig presents one of his best in "Dora Thorne" a dramatic picture story from Bertha M. Clay's famous novel.

In a very short time we will present vaudeville performances. These attractions will be the best shown in Janesville. Watch for the announcement.

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We are devoting our entire time and attention to dress-making and ladies' tailoring and can take on new customers for either plain or fancy dresses, evening gowns, or suits. Miss Johnson is a modiste of wide experience and our work is pleasing the most critical people in Janesville. Our prices are reasonable.

BRUCE E. DARIUS
52 Court St.

First Come, First Served

We have left from our sale of DeLuxe edition of sets of books one set each of the following. In order to make a clean sweep, until Saturday night we will sell at following prices:

One \$14.00 set Arabian Nights, 4 vols., Sale Price\$4.50
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One \$40.00 set Geo. Elliott, 10 vols., leather, Sale Price\$13.25
One \$25.00 set Emerson, 6 vols., leather, Sale Price\$6.75
One \$40.00 set Victor Hugo, 10 vols., leather, Sale Price\$5.00
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This work will convince the world that Ireland is no less worthy of her place among the nations now than she was when she merited the title of the Island of Saints and Scholars and the Habitude of Statesmen and Literature.

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LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Chut-tu Cars.
Janesville, Wis.,
Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:—
I am a little girl almost three years old. Will you please send me a dolly that goes to sleep and dolly bed, a set of dishes, table and chairs, a chit-tu car and a stove, a set of white fur coat, a Christmas tree, a merry-go-round and a horn. My nunny is writing this for me. Well good bye
Santa.
LUCILE DALY.
336 Lincoln St.

A few Things for Xmas.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want you bring me for Xmas a few things which are a big doll and buggy, a sled and trunk
a bed and box of Handkerchiefs.
HELEN DAETWYLER.
615 Western Ave., City.

Red Top Shoes.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little girl seven years old. I would like you to bring my doll a couch, and a fish pond, tiddlewinks, a pair of red top shoes, please do not forget them. I would like a handkerchief, red stockings, some candy and nuts and some fruit. Arnold rose cloth such
Good-bye.
MISS MARY SHERIDAN.
411 South Jackson St., Janesville, Wis.

Little Dog on Stick.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a doll's Bureau and a flexible flyer No. 4. I would like some pink hair-ribbons for my self and a Komono too. And a little dog that is down town when you press on a stick and it will sound like a dog barking. They are down in the Golden Rule. That is all I want this Xmas.
Good by
From BERNICE GRAY.

Who is Earl?
EARL.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a boy nine years old and I live in the country and I want some candy and nuts and a table and pencil, and a hat. And a alragun and bullets. I guess that all so good by:
To SantaClaus
ELL.
Sled With Good Runners.
good morning dear sato claus. . . . have you got any sleds with good runners on I want two big stout books a pair of leggings a big train of cars that run on a track a box of ink blinks with letters on them a toy like I got last year bring me little baby brother a rattle box and I want an air gun I bring up and wood far I my 7 years old goudby dear santa claus
ALLAN BOYCE.

Tent Like Indians.
Dear Santa:—
I want a Indian tent and a flexible flyer a book and a box of candy.
Your friend
MORGAN M.
Likes Old Santa.
Janesville, Wis.,
Dec. 8, 1910.
Dear Santa, I would like to have a few things but I would rather you take the most to the poor boys and girls. I live at 317 Pearl St. You wrote me a Pearl Carol last Christmas and you asked me if I like you. I like you because you have brought me so many things. I would like a new Pearl ob stockings.
From
RUDY RICHARDSON.
One for the Baby.

My Dear Santa Claus
Please bring me a doll & doll buggy a table and a set of dishes. I am a good little girl and I am only 2 years old. My address is
MARIE DAETWYLER.
615 Western Ave., City.

Good Near Xmas.
Santa Claus
Dear Sir: I am a good girl so please bring a few things for being so good near Xmas I want a doll, stove, cradle, sled, dishes, piano table and trunk.
AGNES DAETWYLER.
615 Western Ave., City.

Chimney Only Way In.
Dear Santa,
I want a box of candy and a doll for Xmas. I live on 612 Caroline St. Come down the chimney because the doors lock. Goodbye.
WILMA SCHULTZ.
612 Caroline St., Janesville, Wis.

Ribbon is Broken.
Janesville, Wis.,
Dec. 8, 1910.
Dear Santa I would like a book of Uncle Remus Cabbie. If you have it. I would like some pink ribbons and a new doll because the one you brought me last Christmas is broke but I didn't brake it myself. I would like some nuts and candy. I would like there is anything else you want to leave me I will be glad to get it.
Hazel A. Richardson.
317 Pearl.
Old Santa Some Goodies.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Age 10.
Dear Santa
Please I won't a toy auto, air gun and horn, and some goodies.
OTTO BRANDENBERG.
My brother August wants a pop gun and Teddy Bear, and candy and oranges.
AUGUST BRANDENBERG.
Janesville, Wis.
Age 4.
Route No. 6, Box 47.

Stop In Freeport.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I will write you a letter. I still live on 1130 South Cherry St. Please bring me a fire wagon and a horse also bring my little sister Helen a

Train to Carry Dolls.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 8, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I was afraid you wasn't coming for our letters this year, and I wanted so many things. Please bring me a double header train of cars, big ones, so I can put my sisters paper dolls in them, an automobile and garage a mail wagon, a little broom so I can

help my mamma sweep. A Christmas Tree. O! yes and a flexible flyer. Guess that is all. Don't forget my little niece Doris Pederson who wants lots of dolls she breaks them all. I am only a little boy five years old and if I forget any thing you think I would like bring it along.
Your little friend,
LOUIE GRAESSLIN,
1430 South Cherry St.

Cowboy Pants.
Janesville, Wis.
Dear Santa—
I want some cowboy pants, a ring a pistol, and some fur gloves, and a white sweater like Jay's and a fairy tale book, a little engine, ten pencils, house slippers and a pencil box and Donald wants a pop gun.
KENNETH CHESMORE.

New Pencil Box.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
As you wanted all good little boys and girls to write I will write a few lines telling you what I would like for Christmas. I would like a new pencil



box and pencils, a new red hat to match my coat and a dictionary, some oranges, nuts and candy. I am a good little girl. I am 8 years old. I go to school every day. I am in the Third grade, my Teacher is very good to me, we are going to have a program the last day and a good time. I hope you can be there with us. Thanking you for what you brought us last year.
From your friend,
HAZEL CARADINE.
R. 4., Janesville, Wis.

From Two Little Girls.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 8, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring us both a doll, little piano, A cart and a new sled nuts and Christmas tree and oranges. We are trying to be good girls.
DOROTHY and
GEORGINE KUECK.

Be Sure And Come, Santa.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
I go to school everyday and have been a good boy. I am going to hang my stockings up and I want you to please bring me a drum, a ball, a horn, a snow shovel, a fire engine, a street car, a wheel-barrow, a box of hand-

kerchiefs, and a A, B, C Book, and some candy and nuts and popcorn, licure and come. My name is Earl Sowles, and I live at 431 N. Bluff St. Goodbye Santa Claus and don't forget to come.
A Short One.
Broadhead, Wis., Dec. 16, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
Please send me a little horse and a blackboard for Christmas.
WARRREN PRYCE.
R. F. D. No. 6, Broadhead, Wis.

An Important Missive.
Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I must tell you what I won't for Christmas. I want a doll, Teddy Bear, Set of Dishes, and some candy, orange and nuts.
From
DORAS.
Do not forget Brandenburg, my brother, and sister.
Route No. 6, Box 47.
Janesville, Wis.

Cig Switch Engine.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 6, 1910.
Dear Old Santa:
I wish you would leave me some

harness with bells on it, an engine with some cars, a fish pond, an automobile, and a big switch engine, and bring my little sister a Teddy Bear, cradle, cart, doll and a horn. If you can't come down the chimney, come in the front door, for my mamma will leave it unlocked for you. Please don't forget an airship.
Your little friend,
HOWARD WILCOX.

Nickel-plated Watch.
Please bring me a nickel plated open faced watch
With my initial on it.
Which is K.
KENNETH KOLST,
114 Pearl St., Janesville, Wis.

Come Early.
Milton, Wis., Dec. 16, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little boy seven years old and live on a farm. I have carried wood in for my mamma everytime she has asked me. I think I have been pretty good. I want a tool chest, a cannon, a gun, and a sword. I guess that is all I want for this year.
Hoping you will come early I remain,

Dear Santa Claus:
I think I would like a little girl doll with very brown hair and brown eyes. The best of all I would like a queen doll, but I think you have not got it. I think that I would let anyone hardly touch it. I would like some more clothes for my little doll and my baby doll. I think you very much for the fur. I will leave the window open for you. I would like a dolls dresser and some thing on it and some candy. I would like lot of things. SANTA be sure and come down the chimney Xmas eve. Papa and when we heard your bells we could get up and see you. I think my brothers would like something and papa and mamma. Good bye from Your little girl,
VIRGINIA PARKER.

Will Hang Up Stocking.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 16, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
Well, I guess I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a little side-board and some little chairs for my little table. My brother Gilbert wants a cowboy suit and some magic lantern slides. I will hang my stocking up Christmas Eve. I am now 8 years old and my brother is 10 years old. Well I guess I will close for this time.
MAMIE BEHLING.

Don't Forget Brothers.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy eight years old. I want some game and books, leggins, stockings, and a necktie. Don't forget my brothers. Yours
JAMES ORANGEHIL.
I forgot my sister.

Your little friend,
HARRY RUMPF.
Doll With Brown Eyes.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus, I want a big doll with brown eyes and a Jack in a box and a doll bed and anything else you want to bring me. From
FREDIA PESHIL.

A Savings Bank.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a drum a little horse and buggy and blocks, a Xmas tree, a clown a tool box a ball and football and some candy and nuts and a bank and that is all. Goodbye. From
FRANK PESHIL.

Teddy Bear for Her.
Janesville, Wis.
Dear Santa, I would like a doll a go cart teddy bear and a pair of new shoes and a little ring. Well this is all for this year. Good by from your little friend
MARGARET REID.
34 Arch St.

She Wiped Dishes.
Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a teddy bear, a doll, some beads, and a mouth organ, well this is all for this time. I have to wipe dishes before I go to school and at night. I am seven year old. Well so good by.
From LAURA BUNLITZ.
R. F. D. 11.

Milk, Three Cows.
Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I thought I would rite and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a knife, a mouthorgan, and a story book. Well this is all for this time. I am 8 years old and in the third grade. When I come from school I do a few chores and milk 3 cows. So Good By.
From ELMER BUNLITZ.
R. F. D. No. 1, Box 80.

Stop Here, Santa.
Atton, Wis., Dec. 3, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy nine years old. I live in the country, don't forget to stop at our house and leave me a printing press, a book of the American Indians, a pair of leather leggins, a Lead pencils, a pair of fur top kid mittens, and candy and nuts, and a tablet.
Your little friend
ZEHA WOODSTOCK.

Letters to Santa Claus

Only Four Years Old.
Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 1, 1910.
Hello Santa—
I will write and tell you what I want for Xmas.
I am getting my sister to write for me as I am only four years old and cannot write. I am a boy. The things I want are a gun, a horn, a pair of shoes, nuts, oranges and bananas, and I guess this will be all.
FRANCIS BOSS.

A Nice Big Doll.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
My name is Gladys Stoller and I am living at my aunt's this Xmas. Please bring me a nice big doll set of dishes—a little knife and fork, a book, and hair ribbons; some nuts and candy.
Your little friend,
GLADYS STOLLER.

Flexible Flyer.
Dear Santa Claus, please get me a flexible flyer, and a ring and a military brush and a comb and some candy and a change purse with three pocket and a new long necktie.
RICHARD FAIRBANKS.

Lots of Good Things.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Xmas. Please bring me a doll and buggy, a set of dishes and chairs and lots of good things to eat, and a dress and shoes and hair ribbons.
From your dear little friend
HELEN STENDEL.
546 So. Franklin St.

Don't Forget George.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Xmas. Please bring me a doll 4 ft. tall, dress and hair ribbon, a box of handkerchiefs, and some games. And don't forget my brother George. He wants some skates and a foot ball.
From your dear friend
EDNA STENDEL.
546 S. Franklin St.

Six Years Old.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
I am a little boy six years old and go school every day my teacher name is Miss Edith Clapp. I tell you what I want for Xmas I like a horse barn a little wagon with a pick and shovel a gun that shoots corn a Xmas tree some candy and nuts.
JOHN ZANZINGER.
R. R. 5, Box 18.

Is Saas Sometimes.
Dear Old Santa Claus.
I am a little girl six years old. I live with my Grandpa in the country. I go to school every day, for last three months. I am pretty good girl but I get saasy once in a while. My name is Louise E. Karl. I would like a Doll Buggy, and whatever you can get me I don't care but don't forget my Grandpa's name is John Searchiff.
Edgerton, Rock Co., Wis.

A Worker.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 8, 1910.
Dear Santa—
Please send me a tool box, a snow shovel, and a little pistol.
Yours truly
ART FLACK.
518 Lincoln St.

Wants Oh So Much.
Milton Jct., Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
My dear Santa Claus—
Santa is writing this for me and I want Oh so much. I would like a little doll piano and the worst of all I want a doll bed.
I want a doll head that will fit my Florador doll, with real eyelashes and pretty curls. I want a chair that she can sit in. I remember the dollie you brought me last year, I want some dishes to. I must close and go to bed.
HATTIE STEWART.

Suits of Clothes.
Dear Santa Claus, please bring me a suit of clothes and a sweater jacket and some nice reading books and a mouth organ.
Good by
From your little friend
ARTHUR H. SCHULTZ.

Doll Outfit.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—
Please send me a leather Doll buggy and some robes and a little parasol. And some doll dresses and a mouth organ. And some rubbers and some leggings. And a knife to sharpen pencils with.
Yours truly
PANSY S. L. MILLER.

Sled and Story Books.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a sled and a story book. And some flit boot and some candy and apples and oranges and a mouth organ and some skates.
From your friend
RUDOLPH SCHLESINGER.

Leggins and Rubbers.
Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me some leggings or a rubbers or some felt boots.
Your friend
ALBERT MILLER.

Very Short.
Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me a sled and a flute.
Your friend
COLLIE AUGUSTINE.

A Mouth Harp.
Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me a sled and a rope and a bridle and a mouth harp.
Your friend
EARNST BURGNER.

Rocking Chair.
Dear Santa Claus—
Please bring me a rocking chair.
Your friend
HAZEL AUGUSTINE.

Age 5.

Fill Baby's Stocking.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a Christmas tree and a story book and a leather doll buggy and a new dress. I have a new baby sister and don't forget to fill her little stocking and if she cries don't get scared and run away.
Your Friend
CATHERINE BUCHANAN.
421 North St.

Very Short.
Dear Santa, bring me a big Doll and Doll buggy.
Yours Truly
ETHEL LUCHSINGER.
Route 10, Evansville, Wis.

A Good Girl.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Marvel Stoller and I live in S. Dak. but this Xmas I am at my aunt's, 302 N. 1st St. I have been a good girl, so I would like a nice big doll, dressed in red, and a set of dishes, and a little stove, and some hair ribbons.
Your little friend,
MARVEL STOLLER.

We Have No Playthings.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 26, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus. I am seven years old. I have a Brother John 4 years old and a Baby Brother one year and a half old. My Mama died and Papa gets us Boarded at Mrs. Walters. We have No Playthings. If you have anything to spare, a doll and a ruke and box for Johnnie and Candy for Baby and anything for little ones will do us. Good By Dear Santa. Come to Number 1426 S. 3rd St. We will not lock the Door so you can come in.
From
FLORENCE HARR.

Just a Little Pillow and quilt for Dollie.
Dear Santa—
I am a little boy and I am only 5 years old. Will you please give me a barn and a pocketbook, and some candy and some nuts. And my sister wants a dishes and a per of hair ribbon and a doll. Don't forget that I have another brother and sister. Good-bye Santa.
From LORANCE HUSEN.
Edgerton, Wis.

Santa's Pictures.
Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Harry Carroll. I live in Albany. Please bring me a living doll and a pencil box and handkerchiefs in a nice pretty box and I want a toy automobile and I want some of your Pictures and Mixed nuts and Candy.
I am a good boy and if you want to bring me any thing else it will be all right.
From HARRY CARROLL.

A Little Piano.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a little piano and too outfit fannel pottecoats and a pair of stockings and a little wash tub and board. Four kids from
VERONICA BRITT.

Doll's Go-Cart.
Dear Santa:
I am a little girl seven years old. So I wish you to give me a doll and a doll go-cart.
Good-bye Santa Claus.
EDNA SCHACHTSCHNEIDER.
R. P. D. 13, Box 32.

A Little Housewife.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl nine year old. I help my mamma wash the dishes and sweep the floors and mind the baby. And big I wish you would give me a Great doll and a nice set of dishes.
Good-bye Santa Claus.
ANNA SCHACHTSCHNEIDER.
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Presents for Baby.
Dear Santa:
I am a little girl two years old. So I wish you would give me a doll and a rattle box.
Good-bye Santa Claus.
LOUISE SCHACHTSCHNEIDER.
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Tree With Candles.
2142 Marquette Ave., Madison, Wis.
Dear Santa Claus: I will write to you the things I want for Christmas. I want a dollbuggy and some dolls shoes and stocking. And a Christmas tree with candles on it. And some candy and nuts and peanuts. I want a plain ring. A moreschair for my sister. A little stove. A book.
GWENDOLYN BLOOD.

PAWA Wants Tobacco.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus: I want a new clock, a pair of new shoes, a doll head, folding doll bed, some hair ribbons, a gold ring, a box of stationery, and some candy and nuts and don't forget my papa, he wants a plug of square deal chewing tobacco.
Your Little Friend
HAZEL INMAN.
P. S. I want a nice story book.
R. R. No. 5, Box 17.

Everything Good.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa—
I am a little girl three years old, my sister is writing for me. I want a doll bed, broom, big doll, candy, nuts, and every thing that is good. I will have my stocking hanging in the chimney. I want a new red coat I can wear to school. If you can't bring them you can bring me whatever you have left over. But please deliver the presents to other people first. I wish other people to have presents for Christmas even if you do not give me anything. Do not forget my sister in Harvey and Kenneth and Chester my cousins. Kenneth is two and a half years old. Chester is five years old. My sister in Redwood, Minn., and my cousin Beatrice she is one year and a half old. I will leave you a bunch. I wish you a merry Christmas and a glad new year.
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I want some doll shoes.
Helen Koben.
Bring it to 114 Pearl St., Janesville, Wis.

Fur for Doll.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus. I am eight years old today. Please give me a doll and a muff and fur for the doll. I would like a story book a bureau and cupboard and a signet ring. I would like a desk and chair for the desk I would like a coat and hood for the doll.
A Merry Christmas to Santa Claus from
CORRINE MURWIN.
Helps His Pa.
Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Old Santa Claus,
My name is Lyman Heyerdahl and

Send a Kiss.
Harmony, Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Old Santa Claus:
I am a good girl and walk to school every morning. I help my mamma, so will you please bring me two little chairs and a little table book, tablet and something for my brother Johann to read to tell yet. What he wants so bring him something too play with I thing that is all.
Koo-ty from a kiss
by HELEN VOGEL.

Can't Know Any More.
Dear Santa
I want a big automobile like Al-han's, a little round ball awful hard that won't break. A red book with pictures in it. I want a doll with feet on it and black shoes on. I am three years old. I bring up wood for Daddy and he gives me candy.
Goodbye
I can't know any more.
CHARLES BOYCE.

Will Be Good.
Brookhead, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am four years old and I like to write so will let my Pa write for me. I want a doll of a doll bed a doll carriage and a set of dishes. Will be a good girl.
HAZEL LEWIS.
Brookhead, Wis., R. R. 6.

Letters to Santa Claus

Just a Tricycle.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy and my name is William Stuart Bolton. I am a good boy and go to Kindergarten. Will you please bring me a little tricycle. There is a nice big doll house at the Congregational church. I would love but my sister Dorothy loves it also. If you will bring me the tricycle I will be so happy. Your over little friend

WILLIAM STUART BOLTON.

Boat and Book.

Dear Santa: I want a boat, tory book, suit of clothes, sled, mittens.

My address is: RAYMOND HOCH, 4 Terrace St., Janesville, Wis.

Sled and Ball.

Dear Santa: I want a sled and a ball. Please bring me a Christmas tree and an air gun. Some candy nuts and oranges. Don't forget my brother Leo. Goodbye Dear Santa.

from GEORGE BIER, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 134.

Fill the Stockings.

Dear Santa: Would you please stop at our house on your trip on Christmas Eve? I would like to have you bring me a toy village. I would like a church or hotel village best. I would also like a box of paints and some postal cards that are not painted and some postal cards that are painted to show how to paint those that are not painted. I would also like a little scale and a book.

I hope you won't forget my little baby brother. His name is Clarence. He wants a ball, a little red chair and a little cart with two wheels that he can pull around.

Of course we both want our stockings filled with good things and a Christmas tree. Well Goodbye.

Your friend JESSE YAHN.

152 Cherry St.

A Few Things Wanted.

Dear Santa: I would like a few things this year. I would like a Sweater Red and Gray and I would like a handkerchief and will you please fix my big doll like last year. You done a nice job. I would like a dress for my doll some nuts and some candy and oranges and a nice Pen and a Pen and a Pencil. I would like a round white Teddy head with some Dogs on the hood. I must close.

From LAURA SCHUENKE.

So Good by.

A Musician.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a violin, a horn, a necktie, a rubber collar, an airgun, some candy and peanuts. I guess that will be all for this time.

Your little friend, CLAYTON LOWERY.

821 St. Mary's Ave.

Mamma's Sweetheart.

My Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy three years old. My name is Leo Roy, but mamma calls me sweetheart. You dear Santa will you please bring me a rocking horse, that can go like everything, and a pair of blue and a rubber ball, and please bring Aunt Myra some candy and peanuts. With lots of love I am your little friend.

LEROY SYKES.

1221 Washington St.

One Letter for Two.

Dear Santa: I hope you will remember us and bring a blackboard and a V. Deck. A Doll trunk, a Doll bed and a set of dishes also a Doll for each of us.

Your Little Ones, EVELDA AND KATHRYN.

221 Center Ave.

Coat for Dolly.

Dear Santa: I want a story book and a pair of hair ribbons and a sewing box and a pair of mittens. And a coat for my big doll and lots of nuts and fruit. I am a little girl eight years old and I go to school. I go in third grade at the Lincoln school. Good by from your loving friend

IDA HUBBARD.

1211

Can't Travel.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl seven years old and I live with my Grandmother and Grandfather. I would like a box of paints and a new sled, doll and doll buggy with a leather top. A box of handkerchiefs some stockings. Some candy and nuts. I am a very good girl and I go to school every day. I mind my Grandmother and Grandfather. My address is 1302 Pleasant St., Janesville, Wis.

So please don't forget me. So good bye.

KATHERINE PLUMMER.

P. S.—I would like for you to bring me a rain-coat and a ring to Katherine.

Sister Wrote It.

Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a doll, a little Teddy bear, a mouth organ and box of books. I am only 4 years old so my sister will write this for you.

Good Bye

From WILMA BUBBLITZ.

Route 1, Box 80, Edgerton, Wis.

Ring and Bracelet.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl five year old. I would like you to buy me a ring and bracelet, Doll and buggy with some comforters and a pillow.

And Santa Claus don't get my brothers and mother and father.

Your Little Girl

CLARA GRANGER.

115 Ruger Ave., City.

Don't Forget Poor.

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to the Douglas school and I am in the second grade. I want a big doll that will go to sleep, a doll buggy, a mother goose book, nuts and candy, a set of dishes a telephone and please bring my sister Mary what you can. From your loving little friend

LILLIAN MADDEN.

409 Locust St., Janesville, Wis.

Sends His Greetings.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:

I thought I would write a few lines to you and tell you what I want for Christmas. Please send me a sled and a jumping Jack. Story book, Peanuts and candy, and I think that is asking enough for this Christmas.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas.

Your little friend

ERWIN STRAMPE.

A Little Lantern.

Orfordville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a pop gun and a horn. A story book some blocks and a sled a little lantern a little automobile and some nuts and candy, and a collar and chain for Duddy my little dog.

Good Bye

From FRANCIS ENNIS.

Route 24, Orfordville, Wis.

Wants to Be a Farmer.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am trying to be a good boy, and would like you to bring me a toy stock farm, and a pair of saddle shoes, and a Eskimo doll, and a train that runs on a track, a Christmas tree, some candy, nuts, and apples. Please Mr. Santa Claus bring my little brother and sisters something too. Well I guess this is all this Christmas. So Good-bye. Mr. Santa Claus, be sure and come.

From your friend,

GEORGE ZIERATH.

714 S. Washington St.

His First Letter.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:

I suppose you will be surprised to hear from such a little boy as I am. This is my first letter to you, Dear Santa. I will have my little stocking behind the coal stove so don't forget it. I would like a hobby horse with too horses on it. A train of cars a toy wheel cart a horn and a pair of thumbless mittens and a ball and a sled too and some candy I can't eat nuts. Well Santa Claus thank all. Helen and Katherine are going to write to you too. I will be a good boy until Christmas.

Good Bye Santa Claus.

From DONALD F. DOOLEY.

1208 W. Bluff St., Janesville, Wis.

Building Blocks.

Orfordville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me some big building blocks a top and a knife and a horn and a story book and candy and nuts good bye with love.

From HARRY ENNIS.

Route 24, Orfordville, Wis.

Just a Note.

Dear Santa:

I guess I will write you a little note. I would like a cradle and some doll shoes and please some stockings—and then if you have any spare fruit, nuts and candy please leave some here for me.

With lots of love

From one of your little girls.

DOLores KRAMER.

620 Fifth Ave., Janesville, Wis.

A Sewing Box.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13,

Dear Santa Claus:

For Christmas I want a sewing box, a sewing box, a wood burner, a pair of gloves, and some candy and nuts. That is all for the time.

From HELEN BAKER.

538 Caroline St.

Will Help Mother.

Dear Santa Claus:

I will be very good and help mamma all I can before I go to school and after I get back from school evenings, so please Santa bring me something. Most of all I would like a post card album I got so many post cards and I haven't any thing to put them in. And color pencils and some candy, give me something you wish little girls need. In 10 years old and I have a little sister 3 years and 4 brothers one 5 years one 8 years one 12 years and one 16 years.

And don't forget my little sister and brothers. You give them something too.

Your little friend,

GENEVA HESGARD.

Orfordville, Wis.

Lots of Candy.

1225 Ruger Ave., Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus:

I would like you to bring me a book, sled, and a little doll. I would like lots of candy, nuts, and fruit.

WILLIE LEE.

Box of Paints.

Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl seven years and I live with my Grandmother and Grandfather. I would like a box of paints and a new sled, doll and doll buggy with a leather top. A box of handkerchiefs some stockings. Some candy and nuts.

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Dear Santa:

I want a football and a bat? I want a base ball mask? I want a base ball? don't forget the poor little boys and girls?

Your friend

LLOYD MORRIS.

425 Madison st.

Plans Lots of Fun.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 5 years old. I would like a sled, drum, pencil box, jackknife, candy and some oranges for Christmas. And don't forget my little brother Lawrence.

From your little friend

ROBERT SCHMIDLEY.

Janesville, Wis., R. 6.

A New Overcoat.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 7 years old I would like an overcoat, mouthorgan, Horn tablet, candy and nut for Christmas.

From your little friend

CYRIL SCHMIDLEY.

Janesville, R. 6.

Leather Top Buggy.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:

I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like a Christmas tree, a doll and buggy with a leather top and my little brother also wants a doll and a drum horn a story book teddy bear nuts candy this is all I want for this Christmas.

GENEVIENE KEENAN.

I live on 607 So. Jackson St., Janesville, Wis.

Makes Out List.

Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa:

I would like you too bring me an air gun:

a pair of stockings:

a pair of leggings:

candy and nuts.

oranges and apples.

I have my sled you brought me 2 years ago: and a pair of mittens.

want adding down bill with it. I am 8 years old:

I am your loving friend.

HAROLD MADDEN.

R. D. 14, Box 46.

Medicinal Tonic Digestive, the great

rejuvenator and builder, tones up the

system, improves the appetite, aids

digestion, cleanses the system of im-

purities. Just what you need when

"all run down." Reliable Drug Co., lo-

cal representatives American Drug

and Press Association.

This Stage Last

Has Cloth Top

This very classy Julia Marlowe

foot is a great favorite in large

cities. It's made in patent leather,

with cloth top in several colors.

It's modeled on Rich's Famous

Stage Last,

giving it that

very small,

dainty ap-

Letters to Santa Claus

A Worthy Girl.

Hanover Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little girl eight years old I live in Hanover, my name is Hazel Buhling. I go to school every day and have a long way to walk. I have been a good little girl. I help my mamma and my sister. I wash the dishes, carry the wood and many other little things that help them. I want you to bring me a hood, a pair of shoes, a coat, a big doll that sleeps and some hair ribbons and some candy and nuts if you have them to spare. I am your little friend.
HAZEL BUEHLING.
Good-bye Santa Claus. Wishing you a merry Xmas.

What We Want.

Dear Santa Claus:—
For this Christmas I want a big doll and a drum and a horn and a leather buggy and a doll's dresser and two rubber balls for brother and sister and I want my stocking full of candy and nuts and that is all I want for Christmas. My sister Roberta wants a doll's chair and a horn and a drum and a set of combs for her doll and my little sister Ruth wants a rattle and that is all we want for Christmas.
EMILY & ROBERTA WILBUR.
222 South Bluff St.

Christmas. I am ten years old and I go to school every day.
I want a leather doll buggy and a cradle and a set of furs and some candy and nuts my brother Willie he is nine years old he goes to school every day he wants a sled and a sweater and a pair of shoes and some mittens and some candy and nuts my sister Helen she is seven years old she goes to school every day. She wants a doll and a doll buggy and a set of furs and some candy and nuts. My sister Lizzie she is five years old she wants a doll and some candy and nuts and a set of furs.
Yours truly
ALICE CAMPBELL.

A Few Lines.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I will write you a few lines to let you know what I want for Christmas. I am a good little girl. I am seven years old I go to school every day and do errands for my mamma. I want a new dress, a pair of high shoes, a set of dishes, a nice doll, some nice hair ribbons and handkerchiefs and a nice Christmas tree, some nice story books and games, candy and oranges nuts I guess this is all for this time from your little friend.
Good-bye Dear Santa,
MISS MARY KLEIN.
523 S. J. St. Janesville Wis.

A Year and a Half Old.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I will write you a few lines to let you know what I want for Christmas. I am a little girl just a year and a half old. I cannot write but Mamma will write for her she wants a nice doll, some little toys to play with a picture book and ginsle bells, some candy and a little Christmas tree some little dishes to play house with a nice tossed ball, that is all from your little friend. Good-bye Dear Santa.
MISS CHARLOTTE GAFFEY.
216 River Side St.
Janesville Wis.

Will be Good.
421 Mechanic St.
Ft. Atkinson Wis.

Dec. 16-1910.
Dear Santa

I would like a doll a doll buggy a sled some hair ribbons a story book some candy and any thing else you could bring. I will be a good girl and lots of thanks.
ETHEL WALKER.

421 Mechanic St.
Ft. Atkinson Wis.

To The Point.
Dear Santa Claus.

I want a doll, doll house and doll carriage, a rug for the doll house, some games, a box of candy and a little desk. From
ALICE KIMBALL.
420 South 3rd Street.

Come To Our House.
Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am four years old and would like you to come to our house Christmas Eve. I would like you to bring me a little express wagon, a Christmas book, a rubber ball a pair of mittens. I hope you can climb our big hill for it is high. Good-bye
DAVID TOOK.
Janesville R. F. D. No. 3.

Two Miles to School.
Orfordville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
Please give me for Christmas a little lamp, hair ribbon and sewing box. I am eight years old and go to miles to school.
Cora is six years old. Would like a doll, doll cradle and overcoat No. 12.
IDA C. BURNES.
Orfordville Wis care F O F B

Wants of Three.
Dear Santa

I want a doll and candy and oranges and my brother Harry high top shoes and candy and a nice pair of gloves. And brother Willie a little pair of gloves and one orange.
Your friend
ETHEL U. COMB.

Janesville Wis.
126 palm st.

Doll and Buggy.
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like doll and a doll buggy and a pair of gloves and a Christmas tree and some mits and some candy and that is all.
from
MARGARET HICK.
609 Cherry St.

Be Sure and Come.
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 12 1901.

Now Dear Santa Claus I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a good boy all year. I want a Pocket Knife a teddy bear toy wagon and sled. I want a Santa Claus for that I want a collar for my little

dog to tie on with a bell on it. Can't get ant apple oranges now Santa Claus and come. I want to see you all ways. Come early if you can I will try upon the door and four you Santa. You little friend
LEO CONWAY.

Janesville Wis.
Rout 8 Box 110.

Will Wait For Santa.
Janesville Wis.
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Dear Santa Claus:—
I am going to write to you. I am a good little girl and now Santa I want you to bring me a new dress, a ribbon a doll go cart teddy bear a new ring. Can't get ant apple oranges that is all Santa don't forget to come. I will sit up and wait till you come Santa. You little friend
HERNICH CONWAY.
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Bring a Doll.
Janesville Wis.
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Dear Santa Claus:—
Please bring me a doll and some mittens and a doll buggy and a name of teddy-bear and some candy and nuts and a set of dishes and a story book and that is all.
Good-bye from
FRANCES PESHIL.

Green With Yellow Dots.
Dear Santa Claus:—
My name is Marian Fletcher and I am a very good girl. I help my mamma a lot. I would like little dolls and a hobby horse and a pair of green hair ribbons with yellow dots in it and a box of candy and bring Laura a rubber doll.
From your girl
MARION FLETCHER.
Glen Street.

Hammer and Nails.
Dear Santa Claus:—
Please Santa will you bring me a hammer and a lot of nails. I want a gun with a cork in it. A drum to play soldier and a jumping Jack. Bring Grace something nice because she is too little to write to you.
HAROLD SWEET.

Has Been a Good Boy.
Dear Santa.
I want you to bring me a train of cars and a "flexible flyer". I have been a good boy. Lovingly
ROBERT L. JACOBS.
321 S. Second St.
Dec 16, 1910.

Lynx Furs.
Janesville Wis.
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Dear Santa:—
Please bring me a set of Lynx furs, a twenty inch doll, ice skates, mesh bag, hockey cap, pair of white top shoes, a pearl or diamond ring, sewing box, candy, and a pair of embroidery scissors well I guess that is all I remain forever your little friend
LOUISE KNEFF.
30 So. Main St.

A Little Stove.
Dear Santa Claus
Please bring me a little stove and a play coal and a china tea set and a cunning little doll house with shingles and steps, a big doll and Christmas tree and a little telephone. Your dear friend
KATHIEHNE KEATING.

A Story Book.
Port Atkinson Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
My papa read in the Gazette about you asking for a letter asking little children wanted for Christmas I would like a story book I am just starting in school I am five years old I have a little twin brother Harry and we like books.
truly yours
MISS HAZEL HARRIS.
Port Atkinson, Wis.
305 Washington Ave.

Five Years Old.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little boy five years old. I do not go to school and I would like a Xmas tree, some blocks, a new dress, an air gun, a tooth brush, a Xmas book with your picture in, a new coat with a fur collar on, and a Flexible Flyer. My little brother Donald a train of cars, a pair of new shoes, a coat, a new dress if that would be too much and that is all. Yours truly,
KENNETH DECKER.
I live on Ruger Ave.
Some nuts and candy.

A Pair of Skates.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a pair of skates, a pair of high top shoes, a toothbrush, a flexible flyer, an air gun, some games and books, and some candy and a watch for Christmas. I also want a knife.
DEAN KIMBALL.
420 S. Third St.
Janesville, Wis.

His Wants.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a knife, some neck ties and a air gun. I would like some games and candy, a tool chest, some high top shoes. I want a pair of skis. I would like some books.
LYMAN KIMBALL.
420 South 3rd Street.

Don't Want Much.
Dear Santa:—
I don't want much but I will tell you what they are, a pair of white leggings, a ring, a bracelet, a tree, and a stocking of candy and nuts. I am a little girl three years old.
Good-bye Dear Santa, From
GLADYS WOLCOTT.
229 Lion St. Janesville.

Just a Few Lines.
Janesville Wis.
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Dear Santa Claus:—
I will write a few lines to you and tell you that I would like Xmas a ring, a card album, a game of dominoes, handkerchief, a cup and saucer, a pocket book, some candy, popcorn and a Xmas tree.
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Janesville Wis.
Dec. 15-10.

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Good-bye from
FRANCES PESHIL.

Green With Yellow Dots.
Dear Santa Claus:—
My name is Marian Fletcher and I am a very good girl. I help my mamma a lot. I would like little dolls and a hobby horse and a pair of green hair ribbons with yellow dots in it and a box of candy and bring Laura a rubber doll.
From your girl
MARION FLETCHER.
Glen Street.

Hammer and Nails.
Dear Santa Claus:—
Please Santa will you bring me a hammer and a lot of nails. I want a gun with a cork in it. A drum to play soldier and a jumping Jack. Bring Grace something nice because she is too little to write to you.
HAROLD SWEET.

Has Been a Good Boy.
Dear Santa.
I want you to bring me a train of cars and a "flexible flyer". I have been a good boy. Lovingly
ROBERT L. JACOBS.
321 S. Second St.
Dec 16, 1910.

Lynx Furs.
Janesville Wis.
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Dear Santa:—
Please bring me a set of Lynx furs, a twenty inch doll, ice skates, mesh bag, hockey cap, pair of white top shoes, a pearl or diamond ring, sewing box, candy, and a pair of embroidery scissors well I guess that is all I remain forever your little friend
LOUISE KNEFF.
30 So. Main St.

A Little Stove.
Dear Santa Claus
Please bring me a little stove and a play coal and a china tea set and a cunning little doll house with shingles and steps, a big doll and Christmas tree and a little telephone. Your dear friend
KATHIEHNE KEATING.

A Story Book.
Port Atkinson Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

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My papa read in the Gazette about you asking for a letter asking little children wanted for Christmas I would like a story book I am just starting in school I am five years old I have a little twin brother Harry and we like books.
truly yours
MISS HAZEL HARRIS.
Port Atkinson, Wis.
305 Washington Ave.

Five Years Old.
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I am a little boy five years old. I do not go to school and I would like a Xmas tree, some blocks, a new dress, an air gun, a tooth brush, a Xmas book with your picture in, a new coat with a fur collar on, and a Flexible Flyer. My little brother Donald a train of cars, a pair of new shoes, a coat, a new dress if that would be too much and that is all. Yours truly,
KENNETH DECKER.
I live on Ruger Ave.
Some nuts and candy.

A Pair of Skates.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a pair of skates, a pair of high top shoes, a toothbrush, a flexible flyer, an air gun, some games and books, and some candy and a watch for Christmas. I also want a knife.
DEAN KIMBALL.
420 S. Third St.
Janesville, Wis.

His Wants.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a knife, some neck ties and a air gun. I would like some games and candy, a tool chest, some high top shoes. I want a pair of skis. I would like some books.
LYMAN KIMBALL.
420 South 3rd Street.

Don't Want Much.
Dear Santa:—
I don't want much but I will tell you what they are, a pair of white leggings, a ring, a bracelet, a tree, and a stocking of candy and nuts. I am a little girl three years old.
Good-bye Dear Santa, From
GLADYS WOLCOTT.
229 Lion St. Janesville.

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Letters to Santa Claus

Avalon Wisconsin
December 15, 1910
Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a big doll for Christmas. And a bed for me. I would like a story book, a ring and a box of writing paper.
I am eight years old. From
VERA DODGE.

Avalon Wisconsin
December 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a big doll, a new dress, a sled, I would like a new pencil and tablet and a box of writing paper. I want a ring too. I am eight years old. Your little friend,
RUTH HANSON.

Avalon Wisconsin
December 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a pair of skates and a pencil box. I wish that I had a rubber ball. I am eight years old. I should like a knife and a story book. Your friend,
WILLIAM SCHULZ.
Avalon, Wisconsin,
December 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
I would like an air rifle and three traps for Christmas. I am nine years old.
Yours truly,
KENNETH VOLTZ.

A Little Patriot,
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy nearly four years old. I do not go to school because I am not old enough. I want to let you know what I would like for Christmas. I suppose you can not carry all the things that every little boy wants so I will not expect everything I want. I want a red, white and blue horn, a little shovel, a ball, a football and a pony horse. My name is
EMMETT DOOS
and I live at 458 Chatham St.
Janesville Wis.

Wants What He Wants.
Dear Santa—Have been a good boy and I would like to have you bring me a cork gun, a little doll house, a little stool, a train of cars that will wind up and go, a little telephone and a Christmas tree, some books and some candy and nuts, and a drawing slate, and a watch.
Please bring Marjorie a little ring, a little red chair, some candy and nuts. One of yours boys
ROBERT EARLE.

Steam Engine.
Footville Wis
Dec. 15.
Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me a steam engine, a bow and arrow, a pair of slippers and a nice big sled, some books and candy.
Your little friend
MILTON LOWRY.
Footville Wis.

Don't Forget Friend,
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a sleeping doll, some stockings and a little broom, garter and candy and nuts. Dear Santa don't forget my little friend Clarence Dorn at 219 Eastern Ave.
From your little friend
STELLA HORNE.
421 So. Franklin St.
Good bye Dear Santa Claus.

Little Boy of Five,
Fort Atkinson, Wisc.
Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
My papa read in the paper about you asking for a letter asking little children what they wanted for Christmas. I am a little boy of five years old and just starting in school and I would like a nice story book. I am so small I can't write my letter my sister wrote

truly your's
MR. HARRY HARRIS.
Fort Atkinson
305 Washington Ave.
Gets in Wood and Water.
Edgerton Wis Dec 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
I will write you my letter and tell you what I want for Christmas. I am 8 years old and had to walk a mile to school every day and when I get home my mother makes me get in wood and water so I think I am a good boy most of the time at least I think so Santa. Please bring me a music merry-go-round and a little train and a bank and a story book. I think that will be all.
Your little friend
ERICK KLEMP.

Was Late Last Year.
Edgerton Wis Dec 12 1910.
Dear Santa
I must hurry and send my letter so I won't be late like I was last year, but still good old Santa found my stocking and say he did it good. Well I'm not to sure this year, but I work and do everything my Mother tells me. I am 11 years old and want a story book and a bank and a violin and a cap with fur lining. That will be all.
With best wishes
your friend
OTTO KLEMP.
Edgerton Wis Ront 4 Box 53.

Just a Few Lines.
Janesville Wis
11 December, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
I am writing you a few lines to tell you what I want you to bring me for Christmas. Please bring me a rain cape, a gold pin in a little jewel case, some handkerchiefs a tablet some nuts and candy and a Christmas tree.
Good bye From your little friend
VERA MOENIER.
Sled and Skates.
Clinton Wis.
Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Friend—
I am going to write and tell what I want for Christmas. I want a sled, a pair of skates, a wagon, a stock car, and some nut and candy. Your friend,
ROY PETERSON.
From a Good Friend,
Janesville, Wis.
Dear Santa Claus
I'm a little girl 7 years old Please send me a coaster sled and a doll buggy and two red dresses and a red beaver hat and a writing desk please don't forget my little nephews Harry Deel and Baby. Harry wants a white sweater coat I remain your good little friend
HAZEL HESSIAN.
South Main st
Janesville Wis

A Short Letter.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a Christmas tree, a table, slippers and shoes. I think this is enough for this Xmas so good bye dear Santa
MARION KENOW.
721 N. Garfield Ave.
Hello Santa!
Edgerton, Wis.
Dec. 1, 1910.

Hello Santa Claus—
I thought I would write you a letter to tell you what I want for Xmas. I am a boy seven years old and I want a pair of overshoes, shoes, a violin, a pencil-box, some candy, nuts a knife, and that is all.
Goodbye, from your best friend,
VERNE BOSS.
Wants a Doll.
Janesville
Dec. 11, 10.
Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little girl six years old. I go to school and I want a doll, a set of dishes and a Xmas tree. I love a doll buggy and cradle. Hoping I haven't asked for too much,
Yours Resp.

HAZEL OWENS.
213 Holmes St.
Janesville Wis
A Ferris Wheel.
Evansville Wis.
Dear Santa
I will write and tell you what I would like for Christmas. I would like a ferris wheel, a stock car, a air gun, a con ton shooting gallery, from
ROSE PIERCE.

Two Miles to School.
Orfordville Wis.
dec 14 1910
Dear Santa Claus
I am seven years old go two miles to school will you please give me a large string dill cradle and little dishes. Myrtle is 3 years old and wants a watch and some peanuts please don't forget us.
NORA LUELLA HURTNESS.
Remember Other Little Boys.
Dear Santa—
Will you please give me a velocipede and a cash register and a train of cars and some graphophone records. Bring these if you can but don't forget other little boys and girls.
LLOYD SADLER.
943 Walker St.

Never Written Before.
Orfordville Wis
dec 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
I am nine years old have never wrote to you before
I would like a pair of warm mittens and a nice strong sled for Christmas.
JEFFRE HURTNESS.
Orfordville Wis

Will Trim the Tree.
Dear Santa Claus—
I will tell you what I want for Xmas, a little table, a desk and chair, a chain and locket, some games, and if you please I would like a Xmas tree. Will put the trimmings out so you can have time there to one thing I have forgotten and that is a blue rain cape, your loving friend,
RUTH DECKER.
I live on Milton Ave.
Some nuts and candy.

Was Afraid of Santa!
Evansville Wis Dec 14 1910
Dear Santa Claus
Last year when you came to my house I was afraid of you but if you come this year I will not cry. I enjoyed the baby buggy you brought me so much. I would like to have another doll buggy for this year and some quilts and pillows for my dolls bed. I would like a new doll; one that will not break.
A Merry Christmas from
VERNA JAMES.

Birthday Dec. 29th.
Evansville Wis
Dec. 14 1910.
Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little boy nearly eight years old and my birthday is on Dec. 29. I go to school every day and am learning very fast. Now I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like a motor, and a picture machine, and an airgun, and an Indian suit.
A Merry Christmas from
LAWRENCE JAMES.

Doll and Buggy.
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.
Dear Santa:—
I want a doll and doll buggy for Christmas. I also want a set of doll dishes for my dolly. Can you bring a little rocking chair, Santa? Some apples nuts and candy. That is all I want this year Santa.
Goodbye from
STELLA BENNETT.
Coming This Year?
Avalon, Wis., Dec. 15th, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus—Are you coming to see us this year? Grace wants a doll and any toys you can spare and nuts

and candy. Robert and Jimmie want a drum a horn a sled and nuts and candy. I would like a red sweater some red ribbons some handkerchiefs and nuts and candy. I am 10 years old Robert is almost 9, Jimmie is 7, and Grace is 6 yrs. old.
Goodbye from your friend
MARY LILBURN.
A Tame Goat.
Dec. 15, 1910.
Dear old Santa
I would like you to bring me a tame goat and a Santa Claus suite a teddy bear book and a trumpet.
and so good by
LEO HEMMING.
Leyden Wis R F D 7

A Fifth Grader,
Hanover, Wis.
Dec. 1910.
Dear Santa Claus,
I am a boy eleven years old. I am in the fifth grade. And go to school every day. I must tell you what I want for Xmas. I want a pair of shoes, over-shoes and sled, and nuts candy and fruits. You will find my stocking on the front door. So be sure and stop. Your friend
ARTHUR BLADORN.
Stocking Will Be Ready.
Hanover, Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus—
I am a little girl six years old, and I am going to write you what I want for Christmas. I want you to bring me a doll, doll-carriage, chain and don't forget to leave some nuts candy and fruits. I will have my stocking ready when you come by, but don't forget to stop.
Your little friend
MAHEL BLADORN.
To Santa Claus,
Likes Candy.
Janesville Wis
Dec 1910.

My Dear Santa, Claus—
I am a little girl sixteen years old. I thought I would write and tell you what I would like for Xmas. I want a dollbuggy, doll, sled, and lots of candy cause I like candy. And my brother August he wants a rubber doll and a pair of mittens and a money bank so he can put his money in it.
Your Loving Friend
MARY KOPPLEIN.
to Santa Claus,
Of Course You're Coming.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Old Santa:—
Of course you are coming around this year same as ever so I thought I would get my order in.
Please bring me a pair of gloves, pair of bedroom slippers, a toy airship, a sail boat with a machine and a cowboy whip. Well I will close now hoping Christmas eve will not be too cold for you.
Your little friend
GERALD GOKEY.
422 S. Washington street.

Don't Forget.
Janesville Wis
Dec 15th 1910.
Dear Santa,
I am a little girl three years old. I am a good little girl I help my mamma to set the table. I would like a lot of things for Xmas. I will tell you what I want a set of dishes and a silver knife, fork and spoon. I would like a washboard and two wash tubs with a wringer.

A Blue Bear.
Orfordville Wis
Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa:— I wish you would bring me a blue bear, watch, story book, fountain pen, a huf ribbon and a ribbon hat to keep my ribbons in for Christmas.
from
PATRICIA DEVEREAUX.

A String of Beads.
Orfordville Wis
Dec 15 1910
Dear Santa Claus.
I wish you would bring me a string of beads, and some Christmas candy, and a story book and watch and chain, and a handkerchief and don't forget the

candy and nuts, and a song book.
I am 8 years old, from
GERTRUDE DEVEREAUX.
A Little Kitchen.
Orfordville Wis.
Dec 16, 1910
Dear Santa Claus
I want a little kitchen and some candy and peanuts a doll and a bank and an A. B. C. book. And a watch and a song book. I am 5 years old.
from
FRANCES DEVEREAUX.

Some Fur Mitts.
Brown Bros. Farm, Happy Hollow, Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I wish you to bring me a sled and a pair of fur mitts and a sweater and a fur coat and a mouth harp and drum.
Your friend
HARRY HUNGARNER.
10 years old.

A White Scarf.
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus.
Please bring me a big doll and a white scarf a new dress and I would like a Christmas tree, candy and nuts. From your loving little friend
ESTHER HORNE.
421 So. Franklin St.
Janesville, Wis.
Thanking you very much Dear Santa Claus Good bye.

Wants to Give Parties.
Janesville Wis., Dec., 16, 1910.
Dear Old Santa Claus.
I wish you would please bring me a set of little dishes, a little table, a lamp and cupboard. I am a good little girl and am 3 1/2 years old.
Your Little Friend
ROMAINE BENNER.
446 N. bluff St.
Dig and Little Dolls.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus
Please bring me a big doll and, a baby doll a doll's dresser, a slate, doll's slippers, a box of paints, a blackboard, a bracelet, a gold ring, doll's bed, and an umbrella.
Please don't forget baby she wants some blocks, a doll's buggy and a doll.
From Your little friend
GENEVIEVE FINKLE.
330 Milton Ave.

A Tricycle.
Dear Santa
I want a tricycle and a sled, high top shoes and Indian gloves and an air gun and a whistle good bye
from your little friend
EDDIE BYRNE.
509 Cherry St.

Sled For Kenneth.
Dear Santa Claus
I want a sled, train of cars, Jack in box, Box candy
KENNETH GOWER.
315 Racine St.

Signet Ring For Him.
Dear Santa Claus
I want a flexible flyer, a signet ring, box of candy, a pencil and a pencil box.
HAROLD GOWER.
315 Racine St. City.

What She Wants.
Janesville Wis., Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Santa I am going to tell you what I want for Xmas. I want a story book a doll that can talk and some candy and something for my little sister and brother from
BRNIE WHEELER.

A Fisherman.
Janesville Wis Dec 11, 1910.
Dear Old Santa Claus
I thought I would write you a few lines to tell you what I would like for Xmas I want a fish pole and hook and a big doll that can open and shut its eyes and talk and lots of nuts and candy good by from
JOE O'NEIL.

There's Four of Us.
Janesville Wis Dec 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know what I want for

Lots of Other Things.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a big Doll and a Baby Doll, a slate and a white pencil, Doll slippers, a Doll's Dresser, a box of paint, a box of handkerchiefs, a doll's bed and an umbrella, a little rocking chair, candy, ring, and a bracelet and lots of other nice things.
EVELYN FINKEL.
115 N. Franklin St., City.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Christmas Flowers and Decorations

We are going to have a display space in Taylor Bros.' grocery on December 22, 23, 24, and will show a fine assortment of Potted Plants, including Azalias, Cyleman, Primroses, Poinsettias, Begonias. We will also show in Cut Flowers, Roscos, Carnations and Narcissus. You will find this the proper place to buy your Xmas flowers and decorations. Satisfaction guaranteed in all orders.

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That is what you give when your gift is a piece of furniture. No other gift at the same outlay seems so much. No other gift is such a happy combination of beauty and usefulness.

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GRANDFATHER CLOCK
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UNIQUE SEWING TABLES
MAHOGANY PEDESTALS

MASSIVE WALL MIRRORS
LEATHER ARM CHAIRS
MAHOGANY BUFFETS
SEWING MACHINE

CARPET SWEEPER
MAHOGANY BOOK CASES
GLOBE WERNICKE
HALL RACKS

CARD TABLES
KITCHEN CABINETS
PARLOR SETS
DAVENPORTS

MUSIC CABINETS
WRITING DESKS
BED ROOM SUITE
SIDE BOARD

FRANK D. KIMBALL

Letters to Santa Claus

Liked Doll at Church Sale.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little girl 6 years old and my name is Dorothy Bolton. I will please bring me the beautiful doll I saw at the Congregational Church. I should love the doll house also that was there. I am asking too much that is all dear Santa. From your little friend
DOROTHY BOLTON.
709 4th Avenue
Janesville.

Quite a List.

Dear Santa Claus, please get me a bicycle and a train of cars. Get me number forty and a Santa Claus book and a ring and a military comb and brush and a knife and a rubber rain cap and a cowboy suit. From your friend
WILLIAM FAIRSWORTH.

Don't Forget Me.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a Jack in a box and a book and a horn and a snow shovel. Please don't forget me.
DEANESTER BROWNELL.
224 Jackson St.
Janesville, Wis.

A Red Bible.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a red Bible and a doll. I am eight years old and stay at 785 South Main St. and my name is
ANNIE HENDERSON.

Truly New Dress.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a really truly new dress to wear to Sunday school, and some ribbons to wear with it.
PARALEE HENDERSON.
735 South Main St.

Thanks For Last Year.

68 S. Academy St.
Janesville Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I want to thank you for what you brought me last year. This year I would like a Scotch collie dog if you can get one.

If you can't get one I would like a flexible flyer, a pair of red ribbons, and a story book on something like Under the Lilacs or Dorothy Dainty books. I would rather have the dog. You loving friend
HAZEL STEWART.

A Sewing Set.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a sewing set, and a Christmas tree, and some candy, and some nuts, and I am going to hang my stockings Christmas eve. I hope you come the night when I will be happy in the morning when I find my stockings full of things. Dear Santa Claus I wish you a happy Christmas dear Santa Claus.
Your truly
ALICE WILLIAMS.

To the Point.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a gun, tablet, orator, lead pencil, drum.
FRANKIE DEMROW.

Sick Seven Weeks.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I have been sick now 7 weeks with plural-phumonia and would like Old Santa bring me an overcoat a teddy bear candy and nuts.
I have got two little brothers and a sister and they said let Santa to visit them too.
Goodbye!
MELVIN GIFFORD.

Needn't Come Through Chimney.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Old Santa:—
I hope you are well and happy this year Santa. I want a doll for Christmas, a set of doll dishes, a pair of red hair ribbons, a chair and a pair of mittens. I lost mine at school Santa. I will love the door open so you won't have to come down the chimney Santa. If you do you might burst your self, for we have a hot fire in the stove.
Well Good-bye Santa till next time.
HELEN BENNETT.

Eight Years Old.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa:—
I am a little girl eight years old. And I go to school every day. I would like a doll a doll buggy a bracelet and some nuts and candy.
Yours truly from
NELLIE RISCH.

Some Blocks.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa:—
I want some blocks, a white sweater a red cloak a white hair ribbon and a new head for my old doll. That's all I want Santa.
CLARA BENNETT.

A Box of Tools.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a boy eight years old. If you please bring a box of tools, a rap, size 8 oranges, candy, nut and foot ball. Your little friend
LAWRENCE BARRETT.

Please, a Doll.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a girl 5 years old. If please bring a doll, a doll buggy, a stocking cap, candy orange, and nuts.
Your friend
CLARA BARRETT.

A Good Boy Later.

Dear Santa:—
I am a little boy 7 yrs. old and I go to the Douglas School every day. I have been a good boy lately and hope you won't forget me. I would like a toy horse and wagon a shooting gallery like the one in Hinterschelsch window. Don't forget papa and Mamma.
From your little friend
HAROLD REHFELD.

624 Cherry St.
Janesville Wis.

Just a Line.

Footville Wis.
Dec. 15th, 1910.

Dear Santa:—
I thought I would drop you a line to let you know what I wanted for Xmas. I would like a doll a story

Playthings Were Burned.
Dear Santa Claus:—
Please send me a story book and a pair of leather boots our house burned and I lost all of my play things.
CLAUDE WURSTEL.
Janesville Wis. Rt. 7.

Soldier Boy.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a soldier suit with a drum and a toy gun and sword and I want some nuts and candy. I will hang up my stockings on a chair by the stove so you will find them.
Goodbye from your friend
EDWARD SKOFSTAD.
R. F. D. 31
Box 58 Deloit, Wis.

Here's an Engineer.

Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like to drop you a few lines to tell you what I would like for Xmas. I want a passenger train, Holly Polly, Toy Wrecking car, Scientific Mechanical Toy and a Toy Drum. I think that is all I want this year.
Your friend,
ALFRED GRAF.

Xmas Tree Wanted.

414 Washington St.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a Xmas tree a pair of double ice skates, and a pair of Indian gloves. And please bring my little brother a box of building blocks, a train of cars and a fur buggy robe.
Yours truly,
WALDO C. LUCHSINGER.
Writes For Two.

My Dear Santa Claus,
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 10, 1910.

I want you to bring me a teddy bear with some tracks and a depot, a doll that can walk and talk and a bath robe. A Christmas tree with lots of things. And Winthrop wants a Teddy bear a bath robe and a teddy bear, some candy too.
Your little friends,
EDWIN & WINTHROP HOLDEN.
333 N. High St., City.

What's the Name?

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am eight years old. I am trying to be good. I want a jointed doll with light hair. I want some nuts candy and dates. I would like anything else that you can spare. And I want some story books and some games.
My address is
320 S. Academy St.
Janesville, Wis.

Fire For Santa.

818 Caroline St.
Dec. 4, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
Please bring me a big doll, doll bed and doll-buggy. A story book, hair ribbon, handkerchiefs, belt, wash, and fan. Come in by the window because a fire will be in the stove. I would like a little desk and an apron.
Your loving friend,
JANE HART.

Remember His Brothers.

Janesville Wis., Dec. 12, '10.

To My Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little boy four and a half years old, and not being old enough to write I have asked my Mamma to write my letter for me. I would like a rocking horse, a train of cars, a drum and horn and box of blocks and candy and nuts. And don't forget my little brothers Kenneth and Robert. So good bye dear Santa from
HAROLD JARKE.
667 N. Pearl St.

A Little Piano.

Edgerton Wis.
Dec. 12 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
Will you please bring me a little piano and a little chair and a story book. And candy and nuts.
And that is all.

From your truly
DOROTHY MERRIFIELD.

Telephone Again, Santa.

Janesville Wis.
December 14, 1910.

Dear Good Santa Claus,
What do you think I want for Xmas? I want a pop gun, and a street car with the trolley wires, a tool chest bigger than Rolfe's a snow buck and saw, a big horse and cart like Alice Colony's, and be sure to bring a Christmas tree. Be sure and phone again good Santa Claus, for I want to tell you something. I was so glad you telephoned to me last Xmas.

Please don't forget to go down every chimney and leave toys and good things for every little boy and girl in the world so every one of us will be happy.

I would you my love and I hope you can come with your sleigh and reindeer, for your air ship might break down. Don't get too tired. I am—
Your little boy,
DONALD J. TOLLES.

Sister a Doll Buggy.

Deloit Wis Dec 12

Dear Santa Claus I will tell you what I want a pair of leggings and a sleeping doll and will you please give my little sister a little doll buggy.
Good by from
CARRIE LEE.

Deloit Wis.
R F D 31 Box 58

Sister Good Too.

Dear Santa:—
I want some tools and in box. And if you want to put some other toys in my stocking you can I been a good boy, and helped Mamma lots. George Miller my sister wants doll buggy and a flat iron and she to has been good she 3 years old, she says her old are good yet you can bring her some more toys if you want. We live on 468 N Palm St.
GEORGE & GLADYS MILLER.

Too Small to Write.

Dec 15 1910

To small to write so Papa wrote Dear Sa. Claus for me.
Dear Santa I must tell you what I want for Xmas. I want a doll a cradle and a box of blocks apples oranges bananas. That will be all for this time so good-bye Santa
From
VELMA LOVENSON.

Janesville Wis.
546 South Jackson.

Anything Else You Have.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like a camera, "The Motor Boys in Mexico" and the "Rover Boys on the Great Lakes." Some nuts and candy and any thing else you have.
RANSOM SCHALLER.

A Short One.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I want a doll, doll-bed, some books and candy and a sled.

A Flexible Flyer.

Janesville Wis.
508 Wells St.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like to receive from you this year, a long, Flexible Flyer, a drum, a train, some candy and nuts, oranges and apples.
Your Faithful Friend,
PAUL ORMAN.

Writes for Two.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Old Santa:—
As time is very short and I think it will be wise to write to you if I want anything I will do so. I am a little boy 4 years old and my brother is three. We want some blocks, toys and books. Do sure and bring my big brothers something. Bring a Xmas tree and candy.
Goodbye till next year;
Your little friends,
FORREST AND KENNETH DABSON.

A PRESENT WORTH WHILE.

Every person interested in a boy or girl in this section should call at our counter and see the self registering bank, we furnish free with each new savings account of \$1 or more. You give your boy or girl \$1.00 for a bank book. We will furnish each a bank. What a splendid gift for Christmas. Lower City Bank.

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Heavy all wool Sweater Coats, cape collars. Just the thing for hunting or the auto or driving. In four colors dead grass, white grey and maroon. Special, \$5.00. Other Sweater Coats from 50c to \$8.00. We have an All Wool leader at \$1.00.

Bacmo Kid Gloves \$1.50 and \$2.00

These gloves are acknowledged to be the best gloves sold in Janesville. They are known as "non-rippers" and have justly earned the reputation they hold.

Driving Gloves at all prices. Gloves of all kinds can be purchased here cheaper than elsewhere.

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The Detroit Shape that is so popular with the well dressed public.

We have one special value that it will pay you to see. This is an "Electric Seal" Cap with peak and ear flaps, and it affords the greatest protection to the ears, neck and forehead of any cap of any style on the market.

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Men's Hosiery In Fancy Boxes \$1.00

There's practically nothing you can give that would be more acceptable. Shaw Knit Hosiery is known the world over for its style and wearing qualities. Assorted or plain colors. 4 pairs to the box.

Fur Overcoats, \$15.00 to \$35.00

These Coats are the best to be had and the skins are China Dog, Russian Calf and Horse Hide.

Necktie Rings 50c to \$1

Every man needs a Necktie Ring to hang his ties on as it is much more convenient than a chandelier. We have them with leather straps and brass rings, triangles and clover leaf shapes.

Flannel Shirts \$1

These are regular cold weather shirts, made of all wool flannel, with large pearl buttons. Cut extra full, well seamed, double stitched and face sleeves. This is an extra value. Others up to \$3.00.

Heavy Silk Scarfs, 50c to \$2

The Silk Scarf will be worn almost exclusively this year. And the scarfs we are showing are the best we could buy. A very complete assortment for you to choose from.

Combination Sets

Socks, Tie and Handkerchief, all colors, put up in fancy boxes, special value \$1.00

Neck Tie and Suspenders to match, in fancy colors, 75c.

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R. M. BOSTWICK & SON

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Everybody who likes good syrup should get some of the NEW Karo (Extra Quality). It is clear as strained honey—and more delicate in flavor. Look for the RED LABEL. If you prefer the darker syrup with cane flavor, get the Golden Brown Karo (BLUE LABEL).

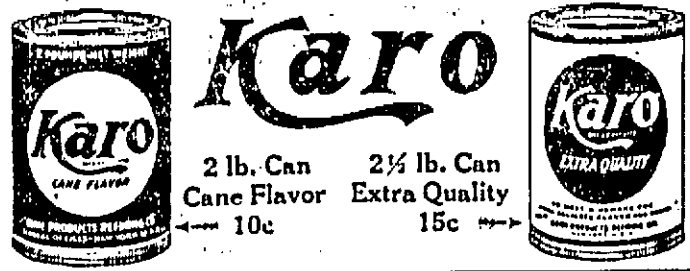
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Lots of Candy.
Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a good girl and go to school every day. I want a doll buggy drawing slate a set of white furs a pink hair ribbon and lots of candy and nuts.
Yours Truly
MARGARET FINLEY.

Red Hair Ribbons.
Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa:—
I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Xmas I want a doll doll-bed some red hair ribbon two handkerchiefs and lots of candy and nuts.
IRENE FINLEY.

A Soldier Boy.

December 15

Dear Santa Claus I am a little boy 6 years old and I want a cow boy suit and an Indian Suite and a rifle and a sword and a cow boy hat and a soldier suit that is all your little boy
PHILIP JEROME SHERIDAN.
Sheridan Hotel
Janesville Wis

Merry Xmas Santa.

Edgerton, Wis., R. R. R. 5.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like you to bring me for Christmas a little tool chest, a foot ball, a pair of skates, a base ball, some candy, and some nuts, wishing you a Merry Christmas from your little friend.
HAROLD CASEY.

What He Would Like.

Edgerton, Wis., R. R. 5.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I would like you to bring me a doll buggy a doll chair, a little doll bed, a stove, some nuts and some candy.
From your little friend
LUKE CASEY.

Set of Paints.

Edgerton Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear St. Nick:—
I would like a set of paints, and a story book and a hair ribbon and if you please I would like a little lamp and a toy piano.

From your friend.

PHYLLIS MERRIFIELD.

Doesn't Want to Be Missed.

Harvard, Ill.

Dear Old Santa Claus:—
I will be at my home at 308 N. Pearl St. Janesville Wis. on Christmas eve. And I would like you, Dear Old Santa Claus to bring my little sister Clara a set of knife, fork and spoon and a linen picture book and I would like you to bring me a pair of shoes and a pair of leggings. Wishing you a Merry Christmas Santa Claus.
I am your little friend
MILDRED LOOK.

Letters to Santa Claus

Doll for Dorothy.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I thought I would write a few lines and tell you what I would like to have for Christmas.
A foot ball, wagon, rubbers, leggins, and bring me some candy and nuts and a great big doll for my sister Dorothy. I go to school every day.
GEORGE GRAVES.

Something Nice.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want to write and tell you what I want for Xmas. I go to school every day. I want a foot ball, wagon, rubbers, leggins, and bring little sister a rocking chair and something else nice to play with and bring me some candy and nuts. From
FRANKIE GRAVES.

A Big Doll.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a big doll, doll shoes, book of fairy stories, ball for kiddy, red chair for doll. Lots of love.
VERA WILLARD.

Wants to See Santa.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please come to my house Xmas Eve, because I have been a pretty good boy this year. I would like you to bring me a soldier's hat and a soldier's suit, and some books about the general in war. If you can, I would like you to bring a helmet and a transfer book.
Santa, will you please come before bedtime, so that I can see you.
My address is: 235 South Jackson St. From your little friend,
JAMES SHERIDAN.

Horses and Wagon.
Dear Santa:
Please bring me some horses and a wagon and a box of blocks and bring some thing for sister. I am a good boy. I will have mamma leave the door open for you. I will go to bed early.
From
HAROLD GRAVES.
P. S.—Bring me some Candy and Nuts.
Her Wishes Are Many.
Evanville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want to write and tell you what I want for Xmas. I go to school every day. I want a foot ball, wagon, rubbers, leggins, and bring little sister a rocking chair and something else nice to play with and bring me some candy and nuts. From
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Please Bring an Air Gun.
Dec. 12.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy six years old. I go to school and carry wood and water for Mamma, could you please bring me an air-gun—a gun—and a pretty good size automobile and a story book—some candy, nuts and oranges. Be sure and come, and say put a mouth-organ in your pocket if you have any room—don't forget my Brother Willie. He is going to write to you too. Well, good bye from
HUGHIE McCANN.
Route 11, Milton, Wis.

Bring a Sweater.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Xmas is near and I would like a Sweater and some handkerchiefs, Doll and buggy.
Yours truly,
EMMA SCHMIDT.
2144 Mineral Pl. Ave.

Not Afraid of Mice.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a mouse that can run and a doll. I want a box of candy. And some side combs for my doll, and some games.
Yours truly,
RUTH DOUGLAS.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like for Xmas a doll and a doll buggy, ring and handkerchief. Thank you very much.
Yours truly,
CAPTIVINE SCHMIDT.
Street and No. 2144 Mineral Pl. Ave.

A Sensible Request.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 11-10.
Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Suit of Clothes and some reading books and a Sweets Jacket.
Your little boy
ARTHUR H. SCHULTZ.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a train of cars and a story book and a cup and a violin, some leggings for my dog Prince. I would like some clothes for my Teddy. Will be much obliged; from your friend,
ROY KRUGER.
220 Ringold St., Janesville, Wis.
Their Wishes Similar.

Has Been Good.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I have been a good boy. I am 7 years old. Please bring me an air gun, Flexible Flyer, car that runs on a track, pair of mittens and an Indian suit.
Your little friend,
ARCHIE PERRY.

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Remember the Overalls.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy seven years old. I go to school every day and help my mother and father. I live on North Main St., the number of our house is 1129. For Christmas I want a jacket, a pair of skates, sled, a cap, and some candy, nuts, oranges, and I would like a pair of overalls. Don't forget the overalls.
From your loving little boy,
JOSEPH STRUNZ.

A Young Aviator.
Santa Claus:
Care of the Gazette.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a ship and a teddy bear and a boat and I would like a pair of skates that will run on a track and a black board to draw on and a painting book to paint in.
Your Dear Little friend
HORACE B. MAGEE.

English Doll Cab.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a large English doll cab and a book.
ETHEL CHRISTESON.
Wants a Foot Ball.
Avalon, Wis.

Don't Forget Florence.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a pair of light-colored shoes, some books and a little ship for Christmas. My little sister wants a doll and a little doll buggy. Don't forget Florence Bartlett who lives in the Jeffries flats.
From your little boy,
KENNETH HICK.

Two Dolls.
Milton, Wis., R. F. D.
Dear Old Santa Claus:
I thought I would write you a little letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. I wish you would bring me two dolls, a big one and a little one—a doll bed, some little dishes, a little ring, some bananas and oranges. I am going to speak a little piece at school. Don't forget to come now, I will leave the door unlocked, so you will have to climb the roof.
Your Loving Little Friend
HELEN MALONE.

Wants an Air Gun.
Milton, Wis., R. F. D. 11.
Dear Old Santa:
I thought I would write a letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want an air gun, a sweater, a little wheelbarrow, a little comb and looking glass. Some candy and nuts and fruit. I am a good boy and bring the wood in for my mamma. I go to school every day, and I am seven (7) years old. I am in the Third reader.
Your little friend,
EDWIN MALONE.

Be Sure and Come.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I thought I would write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a Corkeun a pair of mittens, leggins stockings, horn, and candy nuts and oranges, this is all I want for this Christmas from
CORNELIUS GILLESPIE.
I live on 529 So. Jackson St. be sure and come and a sled.

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I clean carpets, rugs, matting, mattresses and upholstered furniture in a satisfactory manner.
Frank H. Porter
603 West Bluff St.
New phone No. 413 White.

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The original and genuine solid pedestal tables bear our trade mark, which is in plain sight on the solid pedestal. When you come to purchase a table always look for this mark. There are imitations of our table being sold. Do not accept this inferior table which is made to sell, not to satisfy. Insist on the genuine Hanson Table.
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It has the flavor that you will always remember with pleasure—it is distinctive in this respect.
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Our Displays of Christmas Goods

--The pretty things, so desirable to give, and so acceptable as gifts, are numerous and attractive. And too, there are many more substantial and serviceable things to choose as Xmas remembrances.

Bradley Knit Mufflers



Come in colors black, white, blue, gray and red, priced at **50c**

Put in separate Holiday box. See our display of these.

Furs

Furs for Christmas They make a substantial gift; a gift that will be appreciated deeply this cold weather. Our stock is large, the variety is big. Separate pieces from \$8 up. Sets from \$12.50 up. If you are thinking of buying her a set of Furs, see this stock. They are being sold at Rock Bottom prices.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies' fine Irish crochet edge Handkerchiefs, made on fine sheer linen, at 25c and **50c**

Ladies' hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs, from 5c to **25c**

Men's plain hemstitched Handkerchiefs, each from 5c to **50c**

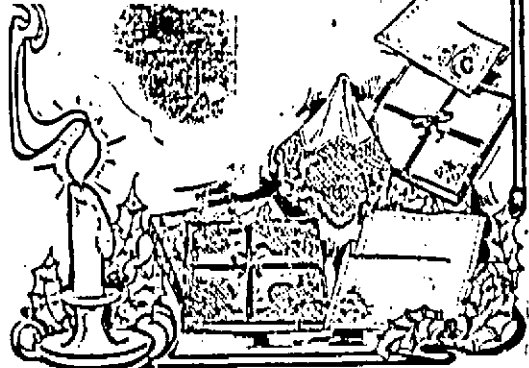
We also have a complete line of Men's plain hemstitched Handkerchiefs and Initial Handkerchiefs, and also a line in Ladies' and Men's Silk Initials.

In this stock you will find a profusion of dainty Handkerchief creations.

Fine hemstitched linen Handkerchiefs, each from 5c to **50c**

Ladies' fine sheer linen hemstitched and embroidered Handkerchiefs, at 25c and up to **\$1.50**

Ladies' fine lace edge Handkerchiefs at **25c**



Scarfs

Silk and Crepe Scarfs for the holidays, beautiful designs in Persian, and flowered colorings at \$1.00 up to **\$3.00**

Plain silk Crepe Scarfs, colors in white, blue and pink, at 50c and **\$1.00**

Fine Silk Throws—something new—made of heavy plain silks and in soft silks, covered with Marquisette, priced at \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$8.00 and **\$10.00**

Rugs and Curtains

Would something from our Rug and Curtain Department be acceptable?

Rugs—Especially recommended as appropriate in the line of serviceable gifts.

We carry a large stock of Rugs, including Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Body Brussels and Tapestry Brussels.

Sizes range from the smallest at 18x36 inches to 10 feet 6 inches by 13 feet 6 inches.

Ask to see our line of Axminster Rugs, 27x54 inches, at **\$2.50**

A timely gift would be curtains for one of the rooms, a pair of Portieres or a Couch Cover. Our stock is large in all these lines.

Robe Blankets

The Christmas sale on these Blankets has been big. There are Blankets of every description and color, in a range of prices from \$2.50 to **\$4.00**

They have the quality and are pretty enough and heavy enough to fill every blanket requirement. If used for robes we have the sets of frogs and cords to match.

The Baby Blankets come in four different kinds. Size 30x40 at **50c**

Size 36x50, at 85c, \$1.35 and **\$1.50**

Fancy Aprons

One of these fancy Aprons will make an appropriate gift.

Plain Muslin Aprons, with either lace or embroidered edge.

Barred and dotted Swiss Aprons, neatly trimmed. Each apron put in a neat Holiday box and range in price from 35c to **\$1.25**

Hosiery

Aside from our complete line of staple numbers we are showing an attractive line of ladies' embroidered hose, at per pair **50c**

Silk Hose, come in black and white and all colors, at per pair **\$1.50**

Hose in quantities of three or half dozens make serviceable gifts. We are offering for the Xmas trade a special in plain black lisle hose at three pairs for **\$1.00**

Neckwear Accessories

Dainty Jabots, made of fine materials and trimmed with pretty laces, also of Irish crochet lace, at from 25c up.

There are some especially rich Jabots among these of hand-made, ranging in price from \$1.00 to **\$2.50**

Attractive Dutch Collars in Imitation laces at 25c to **\$1.00**



Turnover Sets, Collars and Cuffs—from 50c to \$1.00 and up.

There are many pretty Stocks trimmed with fine laces and embroidery.

Pretty Persians effects predominate this year in neckwear and in all of our different styles there are many Persian novelties.

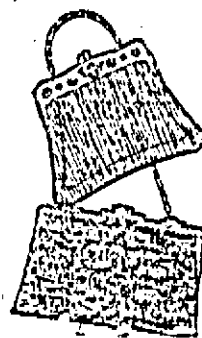
Dress Goods and Silks

A gift of Dress Goods—for a waist, skirt or dress, makes a practical and useful gift.

You will find in our stocks the best qualities and the richest effects in wool dress material.

In Silks you will be able to choose from the newest patterns. In the now popular Persians especially we have an exceptional showing.

Handbags



A glance at our display of Bags will convince you that we have the assortment from which to make a selection.

Handbags in black leather, leather lined, and containing purse, priced at \$1.00 to **\$3.00**

Black leather guaranteed Goat Seal, fine leather bags, lining in black or tan, at \$4.00 to **\$6.50**

Black velvet, newest shapes, plain and silver mounted, at \$1.50 to **\$5.00**

Infants and Children's Knit Goods

For the baby—fine knit Jackets, in plain white and also trimmed with contrasting colors, priced from 35c to **\$1.25**

Infants' Knit Booties, both long and short, per pair from 15c to **25c**

Stocking Caps and Toques, in gray, blue, red and white, priced at 25c and **50c**

Umbrellas

Our stock includes a variety of styles in natural wood, mission and fancy handles. An ideal gift for either man or woman; priced from **\$1 to \$5**

Towels

Towels given in pairs or singly, are appropriate. We have fine Huck Towels—in red, blue or white borders, at each **25c**

Fine Damask Towels, hemstitched, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and **\$1.50**

Carpet Sweepers

A new shipment just received of Bissell's Carpet Sweepers for the Christmas trade. See them. Priced at \$2.50, \$3.00 and **\$3.50**

Waists

The latest in Waists for the Christmas shopper are here. Taffeta, and also Messaline Waists in colors of blue, navy, greens, brown, wisteria, black and white. An extensive assortment at **\$4.00 and \$5.00**

Taffeta Persian Waists—in brown, blue and gray effects

at **\$4, \$5, and \$6.**

Persian Waists—Soft Persian Messaline chiffon covered, at .. **\$5.**

We offer an appropriate special in white tailored waists, put in holiday wrappers, priced at \$1.25, \$1.50 and **\$2.00**



Petticoats

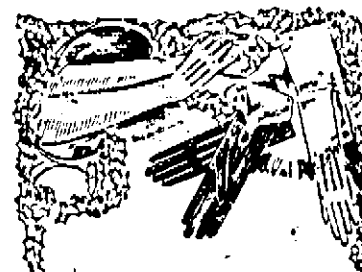
Plain colors in Taffeta Petticoats, excellent qualities, at \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and **\$7.50**

Persian Satin Petticoats, value exceptional at the price, \$3.00 and **\$3.50**

Persian Silk and also Satin Petticoats, in both plain with Persian flounce, and the Persian all-over effects, at **\$5.00**

These petticoats are put up in special holiday boxes. They make a beautiful gift.

Kid Gloves



A present of a pair of fine Kid Gloves is always acceptable. Our Gloves are all of first quality, and can be had in all colors.

Fedora Kid Gloves, sizes 5 3/4 to 8 at a pair **\$1.00**

Virginia Kid Gloves, sizes 5 3/4 to 8 at **\$1.50**

Heavy lap seam Gloves, for street wear, in black and brown shades, at \$1.00 and **\$1.50**

Mocha Gloves in blacks and all colors, at \$1.00 and **\$1.50**

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LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

THE ADVENT OF THE CHRIST CHILD.



All morns may be like Christmas morn
To him who looks for them,
And daily is the Christ Child born
In some new Bethlehem.

Who walks with faith and quiet will
Through unknown ways and dim,
Who keeps his heart a child's heart still
The Christ Child dwells with him.

For him the heavens are made anew,
Lit by a guiding star,
With singing angels surging through
From hierarchs afar.

A new earth at his feet shall spring,
With love and life astir;
With shepherds and wise kings who bring
Gold, frankincense and myrrh.

His ears shall hear, his eyes shall see
The angels and the kings,
If but his heart a manger be,
Where Love her best-born brings.

—ROBERT GILBERT WELSH.

White Hair Ribbons.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I would like some handkerchiefs and white hair ribbons and some candles and an orange and candy and nuts. I am six years old. I wrote this myself.

Your loving friend
MARGARET FORD.

Wants New Doll.
Evansville, Wis., Sunday, Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I live in Center, Wis., and go to the Center school, District No. 1. I want a new doll-buggy and a new doll. I also want a story book, candy, nuts, and apples.

Well, I will close, wishing you a Merry Christmas.
Your friend
HARRIETT DONNELLY.

Saved Money for Candy.
Footville, Wis.
To Santa Claus:
I would like an engine and I would like a band ring.
On the table you will find a pocket book with 25 pennies in that we have saved for nuts and candy.

Your little friends
ETHEL AND WARD STAPLETON.

One Letter for Four.
Clinton, Dec. 12, 1910.
Janesville Gazette.
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a large engine and a rocking-horse and ball.

ROBERT DUE.
My Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a large doll, a trunk and a piano.

AGNES DUE.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a doll, some candy and a big ball.

From
RUTH DUE,
FLORENCE DUE.

Goes to Kindergarten.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy almost five years old and I go to Kindergarten every day, and I would like to have you bring me a Indian suit and a gun so I can play Indian and a horn, drum and a box of paints, and candy and nuts and be sure and don't forget the street and number.

ALOYBIUS CROFT.
382 Washington Ave., City.

Wash Tub and Board.
Edgerton, Wis.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a doll head and ring and wash-tub and board and nuts and candy that is all.

Good by
Your friend,
MARGARET BARTZ.

Set of Dishes.
Edgerton, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a ring and set of dishes and nuts and candy that is all. Good bye.

Your friend,
LOUISE BARTZ.

Doll Dressed in Pink.
Edgerton, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl four years old. Will you please bring me a big doll dressed in pink, a little dress, a little quilt for my buggy that I got last year from you, nuts and candy.

Good by
Your friend
MAIRIE BARTZ.

A Coaster Sled.
Milton Jet., Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 8 years old. I live in a farm and milk cows every night and morning for papa. I wish you to bring me a coaster sled a story book and a Jack knife. Please bring my little sister Ruth a dollie and a rocking chair.

Good By Santa
WILLIAM KRUEGER.
R. D. 13 Milton Jet.

Milton Jet., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 6 years old and live on a farm at Milton Junction. Please bring me a story book a sled and a mouth organ. Bring my little brother Edwin some blocks and candy and nuts that is all this year.

Good By Santa
STANLEY KRUEGER.
R. D. 13, Milton Jet.

Is a Good Boy.

I have been a good boy so please bring me a toy automobile a horse and story book also a pair of mittens. I am four years old and please get them small and if my letter is not too long I would like candy nuts and apples and candy.

Your little friend
FRANCIS MURPHY.
Footville, Wis.

Sled and Horn.

Plymouth, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy eight years old and I will write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a sled, horn, violin, skates and candy. This will be all for this time.

Dear Santa Claus, from your little friend,
RAY VERNON JONES.

Waiting for Santa.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Old Santa:
We are watching and waiting for you to come, dear us we want so many things I don't see how you will carry the mail there are 3 children in our house I have 2 sisters little and Helen, they are 6 and 1 year of age they want dolls a little trunk, a set of blue garnet dishes so they want broke a basket and a new sunday

Remember Brother, Too.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want two dolls, and a doll buggy,

A Nice Doll.

Dear Santa Claus I want you to bring me a nice doll that can sleep and a cart and bring by brother Walter a moth organ and horn.

From
SELMA GUNZEL.
R. R. 7, Janesville, Wis.

Shoes With Tassels.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like for Christmas a pair of shoes with tassels on, and a set of hairribbons. I would like a game, a rocking chair, and some kid mittens. Some nuts and candy that is all.

I have a little brother. He is three years old. He wants a drum, a table, a horn and some soldiers. He would like a book and a gun some nuts and candy. From
MIRIAM DECKER.
917 East Glenn St.

A Rocking Horse.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a Christmas tree, and a rocking horse, a little kitty, a little Prince dog a set of dishes, a little red chair, and bring Daddy some smokes and mother a big basket that stands on legs, and Auntie some gloves, and Eleanor a buggy just like mine.

Good Bye Santa.
P. S.—Mother will leave the front door unlocked so you can come right in.
LUCILE CRAFT.

A Toy Mouse.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a jointed doll. Some games. A toy mouse that can run. A book of Hawaiian poems. And a box of candy and some furs.

Yours truly,
MARION HANSON.

Nearly Forgot Sister.

Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I will write you this letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. Be sure to bring lots of candy and nuts, and I want a good big sled that is big enough for two boys I want a Jack knife that is very sharp, and I want a train of cars that will run of itself. I have not got any skates yet so if I have not asked too much of you

and some blocks to make a house with candy and nuts and don't forget my little brother Curtis. He wants some mittens and a knife and candy and nuts and other things.

Your little friend
VIVIAN JOSEPHINE BIDWELL.
103 Chatham St., Janesville, Wis.

Wants Pretty Things.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl in fourth grade. I am nine years old. For Christmas I would like you to bring me a book and chain a doll some ribbons some gloves, a sled a new dress, a lot of dresses for my doll. Also some candy and nuts.

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mother Goose will do for all of us bring my little baby sister Clara a doll this is all dear Santa,
So Good bye
LITA BLANK.
Box 216
Edgerton Wis.
Stands Good in School
Beloit Wis
1250 8th
Dec. 10, 10.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl ten years old, I go to school every day. My teacher says I am good in my studies and my Sunday school teacher says I am Excellent so please bring me for Xmas a big doll a leather go-cart two little dolls chairs that we can sit on a bedroom set, now dear Santa I close I don't want to make eyes ache as I must write a letter for my sister from
Your friend
MAE KNIGHT.

Likes To Help Mamma.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years old I have been going to school till cold weather came, mamma teaches me at home. I like to help mamma wash dishes and iron and I know all my prayers dear Santa, please bring me a drum, toy piano, chair bracelet, story book, set dishes, knives forks, spoons, Teddy bear, doll, little leather go-cart stove.

From Your friend
HELEN M. KNIGHT.

Modest Request.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a good little girl so if you have any thing left I will be glad to receive it.

ERENA DAETWILER.
615 Western Ave., City.

Some Nuts and Candy.

Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 5 years old and for Christmas I would like a gun and a train of cars, a little auto and a little horn.

And if that is not asking too much I would like some candy and nuts. Wishing you a merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
Your friend,
WILLIE FLARITY.
Edgerton, Wis.

Wants Doll That Sleeps.

23 North Franklin St., Janesville, Wis.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a large doll that goes to sleep, a leather doll buggy, a doll bed, a set of dishes, a game, some doll's shoes and stockings a trunk, some chairs, a little silver pocketbook, a pair of high top shoes, and a stocking full of candy and nuts.

Your little friend,
MAUDE CLEMENT.

A Big Pencil.

Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I thought I would tell you what I want for Christmas.

For Christmas I want a sweater and a tablet and a nice big pencil and I would like some candy and nuts. Wishing you a merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
From your friend:
CECIL FLARITY.
Edgerton, Wis.

Greetings to Santa.

Edgerton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
For Christmas I wish you would bring me a locket and chain, a set of furs, and a silver ring. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Your friend,
HELEN FLARITY.

Her Desires Few.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old and I want a big doll and a doll house and a painting book.

MARCIA MEYER.
610 S. Main St., Janesville, Wis.

A Young Carpenter.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa:
Please bring me a box of tools, an umbrella, a gun, a red automobile, and anything else you wish to bring me, and don't forget my sister.

Your little friend,
J. EDWARD SCHMIDLEY.
15 N. High St.

Bring Christmas Tree.

Nov. 10, 1910
Dear Santa:
I want a Christmas tree and a doll and a set of dishes and a stove I am 10 years old and I want some candy and nuts.

From your friend
ADAM HENDRICKSON.
421 So. Pearl St.

Merry Xmas To Santa.

Dec. 12, 1910 Wauzeka, Wis.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am seven years old Please send me a doll a ring a bracelet a Christmas tree a Black board a picture book a little perfume a set of dishes a box of hon bon. A merry Christmas and a happy new year to Santa Claus.

From RUTH SLAWSON.
Wauzeka, Wis Po 37

Remember Ruby Sister.

Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I want a train of cars and a Christmas tree and a game and some candy and nuts I want some tools I am a little boy 7 years old but don't forget my baby sister remember my mamma is dead my sister wants a doll

Your friend
EARL SKELLEY.
424 So. Pearl St.

Dolly Needs Repair.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am 6 years old, and I am going to school every day. I would like to have a few things for Christmas. I want a doll head, and a doll bed, a hood and a pair of gloves, and a toilet

set for my doll. I want some nuts and candy and apples and a Christmas tree and a story book. Well I guess this is all this Christmas, but do not forget my brothers and sisters. So Good-bye.
From your friend
GERTRUDE ZIERATH.
714 S. Washington St.

Some Building Blocks.

Janesville, Wis.
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Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa:
I'm a little boy about 5 years old went to school in the fall. I want some building blocks and a climbing monkey and some other toys, and some nuts, apples and candy.

Yours truly
HOWARD MILLER.

Goes Two Miles To School.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa:
I go to school every day and have 2 miles to walk. This Christmas I want a story book, a flexible ruler and that you can floor and a-down and out marble game some nuts, and candy and apples and a game of ten pins.

Yours truly
HAS Wiped the Dishes.

Evansville, Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a doll and buggy I would like a bureau to I would like a piano for my doll, and I would like a sled two. I have been a good girl about wiping the dishes. I would like a music roll two. I have practiced my music lessons good, that is all from your dear little girl.

HESSIE BROWN.
Evansville, Wis.

A New Overcoat.

302 Eastern Ave.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy five in May bring me a new over coat a drum, a month organ a knife candy and ranges. I have a little sister please bring her some stockings booties and a rattle.

LAURENCE GOWEN.
302 Eastern Ave., Janesville, Wis.

Train and Truck.

Sat. Dec. 10—1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Will you please bring me a train of cars with a track a hobby, horse, fire wagon with ladders sword and horse I hope you won't forget any of these.

With love from
BERNARD SNYDER
409 North Jackson St.

Likes Santa Claus.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa:
My name is Harry Ponach I will be 6 years old next summer. I think I am a good boy for I like Santa Claus because he likes little boys and girls best. Please Santa bring me and little Mammie Sister some nuts and candy and a pretty Christmas tree, a passenger train with engine and a pretty picture card. Sister Mammie would like a doll.

Good by Santa. I will see you soon. I live on Route 5, Box 85.
HARRY PONACH.

A Doll Wearing Silk.

1418 Highland Ave.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Mr. Santa Claus,
Care of Gazette,
Janesville, Wis.
Dear Santa:—I will send you my letter today. I would like a bottle of perfume, a doll dressed in silks and satins, a doll buggy, some ribbons a couple of story books, a dress a teddy bear, a box of blocks, some stockings, a candy cane or candy, and nuts, a Xmas tree. And please dear Santa Claus do not forget mamma and papa and my sister Luella, I am 7 years of age

ELVA LORENE HURDICK.
P. S. and dear Santa do not forget my cousin Johnny Jarvis, for he is so small to write.

Half A Day Is Plenty.

Milton Wis.
Dec. 13—10

Dear old Santa:
I am 6 years old and go to school a half day at a time which is plenty, my father is Connie Lynn the section boss, I have four brothers and one sister I hope you won't forget any of them when the crises comes, I have a pair of twin brothers younger than myself, They want a pick a shovel, and a wheelbarrow, we are building a branch to the C. M. & S. P. R. R. and want to finish before the snow gets to deep. I want a new set of harness with snaps for the lines, and brass straps, if you have plenty of whips I'll take them. Don't send a wagon or horses as I have plenty. You may throw in a box of axegrease, and a neckyoke painted red. I hope times are better with you than they are with me, when I am not in school, or working on the new branch, I work for a man across the road, and when I ask him for money he says I am just learning the trade, He thinks I am going to work for him all summer, but I may fool him, I intend to strike out into the country and do some farming on my own hook. Hoping you will keep well until after Christmas I am your friend

ROSCO GLYNN.
P. S. for goodness sake, don't forget the twins.

Letters to Santa Claus

Traps and Dog.
Avalon, Wis.
Dec. 9, 1910.

Dear Santa—
Will you please bring me a half dozen steel traps? A collar dog.
Lovingly yours,
DAVID A. DEAN.

Wants An Engine.
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Dear Santa Claus:—
I am a little boy in First Grade. I wrote this letter myself. I want an engine, a horn, a box of soldiers, some games, and a big box of candy.
From
LELAND PRATT.

21 Division St.

A Christmas Tree.
I am four years old and a real good boy. Please bring me a Xmas tree a Policemans suit a train of cars a horn a wheelbarrow a wagon and a sack of candy.
HARRY MADDEN.
31 S Washington St.

Wants Sled Too.
Janesville, Wis.
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I will write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I am five years old and I would like to have you bring me an Indian suit Indian moccasins a pair of high top shoes and a few toys. Some candy and nuts too.
Yours truly
PERRY ASHCRAFT.

304 Chatham St.
Janesville, Wis.
I forgot to tell you that I wanted a sled too.

Bring A Rocking Horse.
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Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a rocking horse to ride on and a little horse and wagon and some candy and nuts and I think this will be all.
Yours truly, Love
RAYMOND FUELLEMAN,
1302 Eastern Ave, City.

A Soldier Suit.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy six years old I want a soldier suit and I want a cow boy case and a gun to fit in it I want a sword and a soldier hat. I want some story books and I want some games and a knife and some candy nuts and dates be sure to come dear Santa and don't forget my address.
ROBERT PENCE ERLER,
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Janesville Wis.
P. S. please don't forget to bring me a Santa Claus mask.

A Bicycle.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy eight years old. I go to school every day. I am in the third grade. I want a top and a bicycle and a horn, and a sled and train of cars. I want an automobile. Please bring Genevieve a pair of red mittens a doll and a doll buggy and some hair ribbons. Please bring Helen a little set of dishes and a doll and a little set of furs and some candy nuts and oranges.
Yours truly,
ALLEN FARRINGTON.

Tree and Auto.
820 Fifth Ave.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa:
Come to our house Christmas Eve. Bring me a tree, an automobile, a horn, handkerchief, a new suit, an Indian suit and candy and nuts. Please enter by an open window on the south side of the house.
Yours truly,
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A Big Doll.

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A Pair of Skates.
Edgerton, Wis.
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High Top Shoes.

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I want a pair of high top shoes, some games and candy. If you have any little toy guns up north will you please bring me one?
From little
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Thinks of Brother.
Janesville Wis.
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Good bye
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With best wishes
FREDIA WORTENDYKE.

Has Been Good.
Hanover, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I have been a good girl all the year, so I want a quilt of few things for Xmas. I want for Xmas a flexible flyer, a ring, chain with a locket bracelet, I will be pleased if you bring me these. So I hope you will come Xmas eve
Good-night.
Your loving friend
BLANCHIE SCHUMANN.

Asks Santa To Be Kind.
December 14.

Dear Santa:
You were very kind to me last Christmas. This year I would like a sled, a big doll with yellow curls a doll house, a doll's bed, a boy doll, and anything else you know a little girl would like.
Goodbye Santa—
BESSIE KATHORNE KORST,
288 Clark St.

Horn and Mittens.
Broadway Wis.

Dear Santa Claus
I am a little boy 8 years old today. I want you to bring me a horn and a pair of mittens all kinds of nuts and candy and some oranges and that is all for me.
STANLEY WILLIAM WELLS,
Broadhead Green Co
R. F. D. No. 1—

Stop At the Big House.
Dear Santa Claus
I am a little boy three years old I live one mile south west of Hanover I live in a big house so don't forget to stop I want a Christmas tree a little horse and wagon and a little table and a little chair with horses in and candy nuts apples, oranges and everything nice so Santa Claus don't forget what I live don't forget to bring Harry and Papa something so good-bye Santa Claus
Hope to see you soon. From little
GLENN SILVERTHORN,
Hanover, Wis.

A Tool Chest.
Janesville
dec 14, 1910.

I write you to tell you what I would like you to bring me for Christmas please bring me a tool chest, and magic lantern, a game, some picture books, and a lot of candy and nuts, and oranges, well I guess that will be all for me, good by yours with best wishes.
RAYMOND McCUE,
507 Cherry St.
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Put Dolly To Sleep.
Janesville dec 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus
I please send me a doll bed and couch, and a new doll, a picture book, and hair ribbons, and handkerchiefs, and sewing basket, and a lot of nice candy, and nuts, and oranges, please send to Marie F. McCue, 507 Cherry St. Janesville Wis.

Sewing Machine.

Dear Santa Claus
I most tell you what I would like this year I would like a little sewing machine a new bonnet some dresses for my dolls and some other things bring my papa and mamma some thing to you loving little friend
MARGARET BLAZZLE,
308, 3, Academy St.
Janesville, Wis.

I will leave some candy for you on the porch.

Doll and Picture Book.
Dec. 11, 1910.
Avalon Wis.

Dear Old Santa Claus
I will drop you a few lines and tell you what I want for Christmas I am a little girl five years old I can't write very much yet so my sister is writing for me I have been a good little girl I will tell you what I want I want a doll a picture book doll chair nuts and candy that is all so goodbye
From your little friend
AGNES HAY

Brother Can Work.
Dec 13 1910

Dear Santa my name is Tommie McKune I am 6 years old and I can work I hope you won't forget me I want a ball a picture book, blocks a big box candy nuts oranges a horn and a Automobile and that all this time don't forget number
R F D No 1
Hockey Skates.
Janesville, Wis.
.. 14-10.

Dear Santa.
I want a sled and safe hekeys skates and a pair of leggings and a airship a pencil box and a pencil and a pair gloves A Christmas tree brings a nice box a chocolate and candy and nuts
CLARENCE HAGEL,
Janesville, Wis.

Bring What You Can.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl I would like you to bring me what you can. I would like a little doll a set of dishes a black board, chalk, eraser, a little table and a Christmas tree with some candy a some nuts.
Yours truly,
MISS ETHEL HILLE,
210 N. Franklin St.

Horse With Real Tail.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a rocking horse with a real tail, a little nigger man, a drum with sticks, a drum, a train of Choo Choo cars, a ball, and some candy and nuts that all this time.
Your little friend,
LOUIS ROBERTY,
R. F. D. No. 17.

New Suit and Gloves.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 15, 1910.

My dearest friend Santa Claus I thought I would tell you what I want for Christmas I want a tool box and a new suit and a new pair of gloves and please don't forget Walter Mueller and Charles Luech.
From your friend
ALBERT MUELLER,
232 Western Ave.

Good Day All Year.
162 Cherry St.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 16, 1910.

Dear Santa:—
I have been a good boy all of this year and I want you to visit me when you go to see the other little boys and girls.
I want some handkerchiefs a horn, a gun that shoots a cork, a street car, a fire engine a necktie and a jumping jack.
Please remember my mama
Your little friend,
THEODORE EDWARD DOUGHERTY

Light-Haired Doll.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big doll, with light hair, a big doll carriage, some, a little blocks, a little red chair, and some ice skates, and a blackboard.
That will be all.
DOROTHY PIERSON,
117 Court St.
Janesville, Wis.

Parisian Sage

This Great Hair Grower Now Sold All Over America.

What do you think of the liberal proposition that the Groux Mfr. Co. of Buffalo, N. Y., American makers of Parisian Sage are putting up to the readers of the Gazette?

They know; they are absolutely certain that they have the only real hair grower, beautifier and dandruff germ destroyer on the market today, and knowing this, they have requested The People's Drug Co. to state to every person living in Janesville and vicinity that they guarantee Parisian Sage to remove every trace of dandruff; to stop falling hair and itching scalp, or money back.

And every one who reads this important announcement should know that Parisian Sage makes hair grow, not only abundantly, but gives it that lustrous appearance that all desire.

Women will find Parisian Sage the most refreshing and ideal hair dressing, free from stickiness or grease. Large bottle 50 cents at the People's Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

"I have used Parisian Sage for some time and think it has no equal as a hair beautifier and scalp cleanser. No more dandruff or faded hair, thanks to Parisian Sage."—Mrs. William Hoglund, Sault Ste Marie, Mich., June 2, 1910.

Mamma's Spoona Too Large.
Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus:—
I am five years old and I have a little brother. I wish you would bring him a little spoon because mamma's spoons are too large for his little mouth. I think he would like a pair of stockings to, bring a pair of Socks for Uncle Frank. Don't forget to go to see my cousin Howard, and I would like a Christmas tree, a writing desk and a horn that is all, so good-bye Santa from your little friend
MALCOLM KNOPP.

Doll and Buggy.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 11, 1910.

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl of 5 and I would love to have a few things for Xmas, best of all I'd love a doll and a Buggy if you have a little table to spare I'd be glad and I have a little sister her name is Isabella she wants a doll and a set of dishes and a few picture books, that is all we want so Dear Santa. We will be much obliged and wait for you little
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Letters to Santa Claus

Table and Chair.
Janesville, Wis.
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"Dear Santa
I would like a doll and a buggy and a little table and a set of dishes a Christmas tree and some candy and nuts.
Your truly
MARTHA BICK.

At School Every Day.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 6 years old I go to school every day. I must tell you what I want. I want a pair of high top shoes a conister a few games and some story books I guess that is all I will hang up my stocking in the sitting room so you will find it all it with nuts candy and oranges.
With Love from
ROY BAIR.

Anxious To Write.

Dear Santa—
I've been a good boy the whole year and have been waiting to write until this time as I know you don't come but once a year. Please bring me a train of cars and a big whistle, a drum, toy soldier, pair of mittens, a doll for my sister and don't forget my little brother, with candy and nuts, if he has not written you yet.
ALBERT HUNTER,
514 S. Pearl St., City.

Little Cork Gun.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa
I would like a little cork gun a hat a wagon a air ship and a air gun and some candy and nuts a month organ.
Your Truly
HERBERT BICK,
409 Cherry St.

Door Will Be Open.
St. Mary's Ave.,
Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa—
I'm a good little boy seven years old I go to school every day. When you go past my house stop and leave me—A silver ring game of checkers. A pretty story book, a box of candy, an air rifle and an India naut. I'll leave the front door opened.
Wishing you a Merry Christmas.
I remain, your
little friend JOE DOWNEY.

Wants To Have Party.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa
I would like a set of dishes a table two chairs and a doll a doll buggy a doll bed and some candy and nuts.
Yours Truly
CLARA BICK.

A Riding Horse.
Brookland
Wis.

dear santaclaus.
I am a little boy 7 years old, please bring me a gun and a jumping jack, and a ball and a horn to, and a riding horse, and candy
CHARLES STARNDAHL

Air-Gun For Charles.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12-13-10.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please send me air rifle a pair of gloves and some candy and nuts.
Yours Truly
CHARLES BICK.

For the Twins.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa—
My Twin Brothers are four years old. They would like two sleds and some candy and nuts and a rattle box for the baby. Please bring me a doll. A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you Santa.
MARY COCHRANE.
618 So. Washington St.

Her Wants Are Few.

Dear Santa
Please bring me a doll buggy and some candy and nuts. I am seven years old. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you Santa Claus. My name is
JANE COCHRANE,
618 So. Wash. St.
Janesville, Wis.

His Dearest

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 7 years old. I thought I would write you a few lines before you come to see me. I happy you a merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope you will bring me a great many presents for I have been a very good boy.
With Love
VIGNER HAUGH.
My address is 608 Western Ave.

Brother Couldn't Write.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa—
I am a little boy nearly six years old and would like to tell you what I would like for Christmas. I would like a football, a horn, a rubber ball, a little bug, and some candy and peanuts and nuts. I have a little brother also. He wants to write a letter too. He is too little to write but please don't forget him any how. I live at 456 Chatham.
Janesville, Wis.
My name is FRANCES MOOS.

Jumping Jack.

Dear Santa Claus
I would like a set of furs, crayolas and a jumping Jack a book with pretty pictures a game. I am six years old, your loving little friend
LOUISE McNAUGHT,
345 South Main St.

Jacket Sweater.

Dec. 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus.
I want a jacket sweater a box of chalk and a pair of soldier legins.
JOHN P. CAMERON.

A Watch That Will Go.
Nov. 27, 1910.

Dear Santa—I have been a pretty good boy—Will you please bring me

a train of cars and a track for them to run on, a horn, a mouth organ, some little tin soldiers an auto harp, a little auto that will wind up and go, a drawing slate, a little play horse and some candy and nuts, and bring Marjorie a little doll car and doll chair and a little rocking chair for her and a watch for me that will go and tell time.
Your loving boy
ALLAN EARLE.

This One Printed.

Dec. 10 1910
Dear Santa I want a sword and horn and a Christmas tree and things to put it with and some candy and popcorn I am five years old.
STRAFFORD PALISH.

Must Write To Santa.

Janesville Wis.
Dec. 7, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus I must write you a letter and tell you what I want for Christmas I want a doll and buggy and a little rocking chair and a little set of dishes I am 8 years old I live in Center my name is
VIOLA SPLINTER
Janesville, Wis.
R. F. D. No. 6.

Horse and Fire Wagon.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 14-1910

Dear Santa Claus:
I will drop you a few lines to tell you that I would like a horse, a horn and a Christmas tree, I have a little sister younger than me, and her name is Lucille and she wants a doll a doll buggy, some pretty huf ribbons, blocks and a little plane, and lots of candy and nuts. Lovingly your friend
LAURENCE & LUCILLE STEINKE
Janesville, Wis. R. No. 5.

Easily Satisfied.

Dec. 14, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a boy 7 years old I am in the 2nd Grade I go to the Washington school please bring me a horn an air gun and some candy and nuts good by
From
Your Friend
WILLIE CLOSE.
N. 2222 N. F. M. Affordable RESCHT
217 Pearl St.
Janesville, Wis.

Train of Cars.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a train of cars and a pair of mitts and candy.
JAMES TIMPANY.

Don't Forget A Thing.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 7 years old I am in the A class in second grade. I want a stocking cap a red dress and a sweater a doll and cart and some books. I love you Santa. I live on 214 N. Blue St. good by.
From PEARL OPT.
P. S. I guess I forgot the candy, and don't forget a thing.
PEARL.

Just A Few Things.

Dear Santa Claus
Please bring me a big doll and a doll buggy. And I would like a trunk to put her clothes in if you have one.
Thank you
ETHEL SWEET.

Big Engine.

Dec. 15, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus.
I want a big engine and a sweater jacket and a pair of soldier legins.
MORRIS O. CAMERON.

Like the Other Boys.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a flexible flyer, a magic lantern, a gun, an da pair of high shoes.
JAMES HICKEY.
106 S. Main St.
Janesville, Wis.

Mission Desk.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 13, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
I thought I would write you a few lines and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a mission writing desk, furniture for my doll house, fur robe for my doll, ballbearing roller skates, hair ribbons, black and white skates, hair patent leather belt, Christmas tree, gaiters, stocking cap, game of old maid, book of the Wizard Oz, candy and nuts.
So Dear Santa I will close this letter with a Post Script please bring my uncle Ben Smith a Big Alarm clock for Christmas.
So Good Bye.
From your little friend
LILLIAN SMITH,
208 Prospect Ave.
Janesville, Wis.
"Indingloves."

Light the Xmas Tree.

Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 13th, 10.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a air rifle a pair of Indingloves a mouth organ a Christmas tree and some candy and nuts that is all a game of checkers for
GEORGE BICK.

A Doll For Sister.

Clinton Wis.
Dec. 12 10
Dear Santa—
Please leave Sister Esther and I a little doll each, a Christmas tree and candy, if you have any thing else to spare you can leave it to
ELEANOR & ESTHER BROCHER.
Clinton Wis. R. F. D. 35

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Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 13th, 10.
Dear Santa Claus:
please bring me a Christmas tree and come and light it for me as I would like to see you. Bring me some nuts, candy, oranges, apples and popcorn, a new dress, shoes, stockings, leather leggins, set furs, a stocking cap, and two new dolls or as many things as you would like to bring me. And don't forget other little girls and boys So Good Bye Santa Claus.
From Your Good
Little Girl
COYLA DALY.
427 South Jackson St.

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Loves Athletic Sports.
Janesville, Wis.
December 7, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus?
I want you to bring me a fountain pen and a air rifle and a pair of dumb bells and a two wheel bicyll and a pair of boxing gloves and a catcher mitt and a hand car and cash register bank and a wooden steam engine and a magic lantern good bye
WILLARD CROAK,
424 Washington St.
Janesville,
Wisconsin

A Checker Board.
Albany Wis.
Dec 13 1910.

Dear Old Santa Claus.
I wish you would please bring me a checker board, air gun, candy oranges and nuts, try and bring me one of them any way. I live on the Albany and Evansville road between Frank Chimes and Uncle Tom's.
Good bye From
LEO DUNPHY,
P. S. James wants a watch.

Mama Says He's Good.
Dec 13 1910

Dear Santa Claus
I am a good boy because my Ma Ma and Pa Pa say so I would like you to come to my house with candy nuts oranges a express wagon ball games blocks and a book and a sweater coat that's all good bye from
VICTOR McKUNE
R F D 4

I want some candy and nuts. I want a story book and a game. Do not forget my sisters, brothers and Mother, father and auntie and cousins. I want a pencil and tablet. Good by Santa.
ROSE ROBERTY,
606 Chestnut St.
Janesville
Wisconsin

Red Sweater For Him.
Dear Old Santa Claus,
my name is William Lewis and I have one little brother John and one sister who is older than I am and I want a new red sweater and a new cap and soft blocks to build a house with and some candy and popcorn and apples, good by Santa
WILLIAM LEWIS,
Janesville
Wis.

R. R. No. 5

Elizabeth's Petition.
Dear Santa Claus
my name is Elizabeth Lewis I am 4 years old and I want a nice doll and some little flat irons and a new dress and some candy and peanuts and popcorn so good by Santa Claus don't forget to come to my house and don't forget my little brother John
ELIZABETH LEWIS,
Janesville
Wis.

R. R. No. 5

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 2 years old and would like a knife and fork and spoon a little two wheeled wagon a sweater a hand organ a horn and oranges, apples bananas candy and nuts
Good bye Santa
ROBERT DONAGAN.

Would Like A Drum.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa—I am a little boy 4 year old would like a drum and engine and sweater, ice wagon fire patrol and leggin and oranges apples bananas candy and a pair of lines if you cannot give me all give me what you think best
EDWARD DONAGAN.

An Air Gun.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus.
I want air gun and a hand-sled and a book and some nuts and some candy skate.
Your friend
GEORGE AUSTIN.

Send A Sled.
Evansville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Der Santa Claus,
Will you please send me a sled and a handkerchief and red sweater I am thirteen years old, I live in Magnolia.
MYRTLE MAINE
Evansville
Wis.

Way Out In Arizona.
622 North 6 st
Phoenix, Ariz, Dec. 11, 1910.

Mr. Santa Claus
Care Janesville Gazette.
Janesville Wis.
Dear Santa Claus
My name is Ruth Dean, I go to school I am in the third grade. I am ten years old I used to live in Janesville Wis. Now I live in Phoenix Arizona. We have lots of beautiful roses in bloom now. The weather is very nice. The winters are evry alce here just like the summers in Wis.
Dear Santa Claus I can not use sleds or skates for we do not have any snow but I can use dolls and doll buggys and air ships and lots of

Why So Weak
Kidney Troubles May be Sapping Your Life Away. Janesville People Have Learned This Fact.

When a healthy man or woman begins to run down without apparent cause, becomes weak, languid, depressed, suffers backache, headache, dizzy spells and urinary disorders, look to the kidneys for the cause of it all. Keep the kidneys well and they will keep you well. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and keep them well. Here is Janesville testimony to prove it.

Benjamin Schaller, 269 S. River St., Janesville, Wis., says:—"Two years ago I had a great deal of trouble from inactive kidneys. The secretions from my kidneys contained sediment and were otherwise disordered. My back became so lame that it was difficult for me to stoop or lift and I felt all run down. After using Doan's Kidney Pills a short time, these symptoms of kidney complaint disappeared and I enjoyed much better health. I could not be induced to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills were I not certain of their merits."

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C. W. WISCH.

First Letter To Santa.
Brookhead, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910

Dear Santa Claus
I will write you a letter it is my first letter to you, and I was so Please to here we could write to you. I want a train, a swimming shoe Fly horse and Doll furniture Set, a Mush Cat, that will be all for this time. Hoping I will hear from you again next Xmas. I remain your Little Friend
WINNEY NICKELSON.
Brookhead Wis.
R R No 4.

Had Given Up Hopes
Brookhead, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910

Dear Santa Claus,
I had given up all hopes of hearing from you this year. I watched every paper to see if the Gazette had heard from you I told you was Satisfied when Mamma read the news that you had left words for all little children to write you a letter, well last year Xmas I got all the think you fore them, all. Well I will want Lots of Candy and fruit and nuts and I should like a Dresser with a Look-

ing Claws and Some handkerchiefs and Hair Ribbons. A set of furs and coffee Pot and Tea kettle and Pastry Set, well I guess I will have to come to a Close for this time Hoping you will Come back to Janesville again next Xmas.
I remain your Little Friend.
BIRDIE SKOG.
Brookhead Wis.
R. R. No. 4.

Doll and Carriage.
Brookhead, Wis.
Dec. 12-12-1910

Dear Santa Claus,
would write this letter to you but can't write very good so Pa will write for me. I am six years old, I want a doll a doll carriage and a set of furs for my doll a Good Girl
THELMA M. LEWIS.
Brookhead Wis.

Only Ten Months Old.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa I am a little girl 10 months old I am mamma and papa only girl I want a little white dog with black ears a white or blue neck beats a little doll a pair of shoes and stocking and a new dress and something for grandma and papa and brothers well good bye
MARY ELIZABETH DONOGAN

Only Best Oranges.
Janesville, Wis.
Dec. 12, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy 7 years old would like some legkina sweater a Jack knife a horn or a street car that will run on a track a hay rack, an automobile that will run a book or a game of ten plus a month organ or watch or what ever you think best oranges, apples and some mixed nuts and candy and hannah
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Letters to Santa Claus

Ring and Mittens.
December 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 8 years old. I want a little ring and a pair of mittens? and a nice little story book? and a little box of Christmas candy.
From your little friend
MILTON, WIS., R. F. D. 10.

A Tricycle.
Milton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I am a little boy four years old and I live on a farm near Milton.
Will you please bring me a tricycle and some candy and nuts?
RONALD E. WILKINS.

A Doll Buggy.
Clinton, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am eight years old. And I have one little brother and four sisters. I go to Sunday school and I have not missed a Sunday in four months. I think I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll buggy, a doll stove and a set of dolls dishes. I want a pencil and a string of beads. My little sister Edith wants a set of dolls dishes and a string of blue beads. And a big doll. And a box of colored crayons. We are going to have a convocation at our church on Christmas eve. And I am going to be one of the Chinese girls and Edith is going to be one of the Frodo fairies.
Well good bye I will have to stop.
Yours truly
IRVING DUNN.

A Pocketbook.
Clinton, Wis., Dec. 11, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am 10 years old and I have two sisters older and 2 younger and one brother younger. I go to school. I like my teacher very well. I think I will tell you what I want for Christmas. Well, I would like a nice big doll and a pocketbook and a Christmas stocking and a doll buggy. And my brother Milton is 3 years old; he would like a train and a steam car and a automobile and a little red sweater I guess that is all this year. I will have to stop. Well goodbye.
Yours truly
HAZEL DUNN.

A Story Book.
Milton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 7 years old living in the County and hope you won't forget to come to my house. I want a Doll a pair of shoes a story book, some Nuts and Candy. Wishing you a merry Xmas.
COIRA M. CONNOR.
R. F. D. 10, MILTON, WIS.

Plane and Teddy Bear.
Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a plane, a big teddy bear, a little red chair, a set of dishes and a little ring, a big jointed doll. That will be all.
ANNA ARMFIELD.
33 S. Bluff St., Janesville, Wis.

Bring a New Doll.
Dear Old Santa Claus:
Please bring me a new doll. And a little table, a buggy and a book case. Please bring Laura a sled, a rocking horse and a doll. And George a horn, a drum, a base ball club a foot ball.
Good by
RAY STANTON.
338 Center Ave., Janesville, Wis.

Wants Cousin Remembered.
Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I want a game and some tools but don't forget my little cousin. She wants a rocking horse. I am a 11 years old.
From your friend
RAY HENDRICKSON.
424 So. Pearl St.

A Doll and Sled.
Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I want a doll and a sled, some dishes and a stove and a ritting clock. I am 6 years old, picture book and some candy and nuts.
Your friend
ROBERTA HENDRICKSON.
424 So. Pearl St.

Picture Book and Cars.
Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I want Picture book, a train of cars and a dog and a drum and paints and candy and nuts. I am 4 years old.
From your friend
WILLIE HENDRICKSON.
Wants a Doll.
Dec. 10, 1910.

Wants a Doll.
Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I want a doll and some story books and a doll bed. I am 8 years old and I want some candy and nuts to.
Your friend
HAZEL HENDRICKSON.
424 So. Pearl St.

Candy and Nuts.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 19, 1910.
I am a little boy eight years old. I wish you would bring me some nuts and candy and pencil box for Christmas and tablet. I guess that is all for this time.
JOHNIE GRUNZEL.
R. F. D. 8, Janesville, Wis.

Doll That Walks.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.
Dear Santa please bring me a walking doll, a doll house, a train of dolls and a Xmas tree, please. I would like a bag full of candy and nuts and a rocking chair please. I'm 6 years old. And if you have any extra crackers give some to my little brother Hob please.
So good-bye.
Signed
INABELLE FLETCHER.

Wants To Cook a Little.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 14, 1910.
Dear Old Santa,
I am a little girl nine years of age and I am in fourth grade. I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a pastry set, a doll with real eyelashes, like the one in Hiltner's. I want some things to bake things in. I want some handkerchiefs and a handkerchief box. I want a cashmere dress. I want some candy and nuts. I want a story book and a game. Do not forget my sisters.

brother and mother, father and aunt and cousins. I want a pencil and tablet. Good by Santa
ROSE ROBERTY,
606 Chestnut St.
Janesville
Wisconsin

"Some Old Made."
Avalon
Wis., 15 1910
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a air rifle and some old made card. I am ten years old.
WALTER REGENBERG.
1012 Bennett St., Janesville Wis

One From Chicago.
837 Laurel Ave., Aquatin Stn., Chicago, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want for Christmas a pair of high shoes and a bow and arrow with a rubber tip and some books named the Emerald City of Oz And the set of Billy Whiskers. I want my uncle Ben a big drum. Some oranges in my stocking good-bye
TERRY STEARNS.

A Sled and Gun.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13 1910
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy six years old, I have been pretty good I think, and would like a sled and gun, story book, Candy and peanuts and please don't forget my little brother.
Thanking you very much,
I am your friend
EDWARD STRAMPE.

Soldier Game.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I would like a air rifle a soldier game a pair of Indian gloves and some nuts and candy and mouth organ and that is all for this Christmas
from
HAROLD DICK,
609 Cherry St.

Manicure Set.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a doll buggy and a Xmas tree and a Manicure Set, a doll hat, and a sewing box, some candy and nuts and some doll stockings and shoes.
Yours truly
EVELYN UBERSON.
117 Court St.

An Indian Suit.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want an Indian suit high shoes, foot ball, top horn and alrgun. From
VINCENT JOYCE.
274 Riverside St.

Put Camel in Park.
Evanville, Wis., Dec. 13 '10.
Dear Santa Claus,
I am five years old and my name is Orvin please I would like a train of cars, a horn, a snow shovel a box of candy and some nuts be sure and come
ORVIN BISHOP.
P. S., I forgot a camel.

Washes the Dishes.
Evanville, Wis., Dec. 13 1910
Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl nine years old I wish mamma's supper dishes to help her and Santa Claus. I would like a buggy and a game of some kind a story book a box of candy and I guess that is all for this time
MARGERY BISHOP.

A Letter From Elmer.
Dear Santa Claus
I am a good little boy am 7 years old my brother Arthur is 5 years old I have a little sister she will soon be 1 year I wish you what we could like for Xmas sled, Xmas tree, train tracks 2 chairs 1 rocker blocks mittens caps and apples, candy nuts from
ELMER AND ARTHUR SCHULTZ
Janesville Wis.
R. 8 Box 18

Wants Santa's Photo.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.
Dear Santa:
I wish you would bring me a half-dollon, a candy cane, some bananas and oranges, nuts and a nice set of dishes, picture postals and a silver fork. I want a first reader called the little awake primer. I would like a little doll and a pretty story book. Please bring me a ring with three little sets and one big one.
Good Bye from
CATHERINE DOUGHERTY,
514 Fifth Ave.
Please bring me a picture of you Santa.

A Horn To Blow On.
Delavan, Wis., Dec. 14th, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
I am a little boy 8 years old and will write and tell you what I would like to have you bring to me. I would like a horn to blow on and a knife to cut sticks and an engine to pump water. A story book to read and a rubber ball to play with my little brother. I have a little brother 4 years old bring him what you think is best for him. We would also like some nuts and candy. You may leave the things in my stocking which you will find hanging by the chimney side.
Your Loving Little Friend,
EDWIN SCHARINE,
Delavan
R. 2, Box 49,
Wis.

Loves Her Teacher.
Janesville Wis R. 7
Dec. 13, 1910
Dear Santa Claus
As I am a little girl years old and don't think I can write plain enough for you to read so I got my big brother to write to you I am a good little girl and go to school every day and help my mamma every day and I would like a few Christmas gifts of nuts if I am in bed when you come

all I would like a cradle for my big doll that you brought me last year and a little rocking chair that I can set in my self and a set of picture blocks and please bring papa and mamma and brothers all the present for each Well dear Santa Claus good bye from your
Little friend
ELIZABETH DIEHLIS,
P. S. Dear Santa please do not forget my Teacher good bye.

Helen's Desires.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12 1910
Dear Santa:
I will write and tell you what I would like for Xmas would like a nice big doll one that will go to sleep if you please, a barbie with a glass in it a little carpet sweeper and a post card album, my brother would like a chest of tools and a girl doll. Please Santa don't forget our little sister. If you please bring us some nuts and candy too.
This is all for this time so good night Dear Santa
HELEN YATES,
253 Western Ave.

Leggings With Straps.
Dear old Santa Claus,
I am a little boy 7 yrs. old and I would like to have you come and see me and bring me a pair of leather leggings with straps and buckles on, a sweater coat, a pair of new shoes and a pair of fur mittens. I'll try to be a good boy and mind my papa and mamma if you will bring me these things.
From HAROLD SANDMIRE,
1506 Highland Ave.

Father Will Buy Candy.
Dear Santa Claus,
I want a desk, and a chair to match, and I would like some sheet music some instrumental, and some late songs. I would also like some books.
I hope this is not asking to much of you need not bother to bring me any candy or anything like that, because my Father will get me all I want.
I am seven years old. I will be much obliged, Santa Claus.
MARLOWE C. SMITH
Evanville
Wisconsin,
12, Main St.

Dark-Haired Dollie.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910
Dear Santa
As you will soon be looking for my letter in your mail bag I will write you a few lines to let you know what I would like for Xmas I would like a big doll with dark hair a doll table and dishes some candy and nuts Florence would like a nice doll a rocking chair for her dollie and Candy and

to my home Papa will have a good fire for you to get warm from little ETHEL and FLORENCE CONNELL,
Janesville, Wis., R R 5

Train Of Cars.
Dear Santa
I thought I could tell you what I want for Christmas as I go to school every day and I have tried to be a good boy I wish you would bring me a train of cars and the engine lighted on a horse and wagon and some sheep and automobile this is all as you have so many more poor children looking for you good by and a Merry Christmas
HARRY GRIFIN
309 S. Pearl St.

Washing Utensils.
Dear old Santa Claus,
I am trying to be a good little girl and mind my papa and mamma and so will you please bring me a toilet and chain, a sweater coat, a little tub and a little stove and a pair of new shoes and if I didn't ask for too much thing I would like to have you bring me a Good bye.
From FRANCES SANDMIRE
1506 Highland Ave.

Dolly Needs A Trunk.
Janesville Dec 13 1910
Dear Santa
I hope when you come you will bring me a doll trunk for I have no many doll clothes and too doll washes a blue one and a pink one and some roller skates for my doll and a Jack in the box and a doll watch, and some candy and nuts I am 7 years old and live in the Country and I try to be a good girl good by
KATHRYNE PETERS,
Rout 8 Box 96

Stoughton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
please would you bring me some things, I want a pair of skates and I want a violin, and I want a little wagon, and some candy and peanuts. For I been a good little boy and went to school every day, and done every thing I could for grandma. Goodbye Old Santa, don't forget. From
LESTER HUGGETT,
Stoughton Wis.

Look Near Chimney, Santa.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy five years old and am very good so I don't want you to forget me at Christmas time. I want a Drum a game a pop gun, some Christmas candy, a Christmas tree, a pretty tie, a handkerchief a nice scarf a sled and an Indian suit.
I guess that will be all I want you will find my stocking hanging by the chimney. Please don't forget all the other little boys and girls.
Good Bye dear Santa Claus.
Your little boy
JAMES BUTCHER.
326 Cherry St.

Merry Xmas Santa.
Stoughton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus
Would you bring me a few presents I want a set of furs, and a gold ring with sets in it, and some beads, and some oranges and candy, I been a good girl, and every thing I could for grand-ma,
Good-bye Santa, wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy new-year,
From BLANCHIE HUGGETT,
Stoughton wis

Not Much This Year.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
I will not send for very much this year. This is what I want a pair of skates, a mouth, organ a white some candy and nuts, Annie wants a doll pin cushion looking glass some candy and nuts Margaret wants doll stove and pencil. Do not for get to bring Nelly and Lucy a rubber doll each.
Yours truly
PHILIP HAYES.

Roller Skates.
Footville Wis 1910.
Mr. Santa Claus
Dear Santa Claus Please bring me a pair of roller skates and some candy and nuts apples and oranges I want ask for no many things as there are so many poor little girls and boys I don't want you to forget them too.
Your loving little girl
BEULA KELLY.

A Sled and Doll.
Milton, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa
I thought I would write a few lines to tell you what I want for Xmas I want a sled and doll skippers and Doll stockings, and a roadhouse set for my doll I will be very much pleased if you will bring those for me,
From
DELLA ZANZINGER.

Please Bring Skates.
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 12, 1910.
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a pair of skates a doll with black slippers and stockings, a mouth organ and some candy and nuts Some apples a sled a double skate and skate pencil.
Yours truly
MARY HAYES.

Wants Black Board.
Dec. 11, 1910.
Avidon Wis
My Dear Old friend Santa
I am going to write to you this year and tell you what I want I've been a very good girl I go to school every day and am first reader and I can read pretty good I am seven years old well I will tell you what I want this time I want a blackboard a doll and a stove and a doll bed and set of doll dishes well Santa I guess that will be all so goodbye
CICELY HAY.

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Letters to Santa Claus

Three From Footville,
Footville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa,
I want a doll and a little picture book and some candy and nuts and apples and oranges.

Your little friend

RUTH CANARY.

Footville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa,
I am a good little girl but I do not go to school yet. I want a doll and some candy and nuts and some apples and oranges I want two handkerchiefs and that is all this time.

Your little friend,

PEARL CANARY.

Footville, Wis., Dec. 13, 1910.

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl and go to school but I am not big enough to write yet. Well I want a doll, a doll bed. With some other toys and candy and nuts.

Your little friend,

GLADYS CANARY.

Shoes For Good Girl,
Evanston, Wis. Dec. 13-10.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Evelyn I am a pretty good girl. I want some shoes some candy a hat iron and a little broom.

Good night,

EVELYN HISHOP.

Train On A Track,
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a train that runs on a track, a flexible flyer a hoop-the-loop, an electric engine, a patrol wagon, an automobile bus, a revolver and target, a pair of star gloves, an Oz book, a boat, a depot for my train and some Christmas cookies.

From your friend,

RONALD SMITH.

"Peter Coddies" Wanted,
Clinton, Wis.

My Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy and live in the country and I am a very good boy I go to school every day.

Now I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. First of all, I want a "Peter Coddies" and camera and little bob sled. And a pair of skates, and some apples and candy and things like that.

That will be all

Don't forget to call early:

Your little friend

CIRIL CONRY.

Clinton, Wis.

R. F. D. No. 33, Box 54.

Both Good and Naughty,
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.

Dear Mr. Santa Claus

hope you will be here soon I am a good girl sometimes and then a little bit naughty sometimes, and I am 5 years old, and don't you think I am old enough to have a dolly now, and will you bring me a dolly bed, and some clothes for dolly and don't forget to leave us some candy and nuts I don't know where, Ruth and Clyone are going to put their stockings but I am going to hang mine in a corner, you will see mine because it is the longest. I telephone you last night could not hear you very good, you must have an awful cold dear Santa I am so tired and don't forget my dear little sisters, Ruth wants some dishes and trunk to put dolly clothes in and some covers for doll bed.

Good bye

MARIE GIESKEY

1015 Clark St.

Janesville, Wis.

His Faith Is Firm

Janesville, Dec. 9, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus,
I will write and tell you what I want this year. Last year you brought me everything I wanted and I thank you very much. I would like a horn and an air gun and a sled and please bring something to Leora and Roy good by Santa your little friend

HARRY OSBORN

621 St. Mary's Ave.

Janesville, Wis.

Rubber Boots.

Clinton, Wis.

Dec. 13th, 1910.

My Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy I've been very good every since you made your last visit. I will tell you what I would like for Christmas. I want a pair of rubber boots, a horse and wagon a sled, a barn with animals such as: Horses, sheep, and cattle, a money bank, and a great big shot gun, and a stock car, and a teddy bear, I guess it will be all I want for this Christmas.

From

Your little friend,

EDMOND CONRY,

Clinton, Wis.

R. F. D. No. 33.

A Second Grader.

Dear Santa Claus
I am six I want a muff, a sled grade and going to school every day I want a big doll with curly hair and white hat, a book, trunk for dolly clothes a Xmas tree if you please Thank you

LOHRAINE E. BAUMANN,

Don't Forget the Place,
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 9, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus

I am six years old and I will tell you what I would like for Christmas I want a bracelet, a pair of leggings, a sweater a set of furs, and a dolls trunk I have been wishing for a brace-let all summer and I hope you will bring it to me. And please don't forget my mamma and papa and my sisters and brother and my little cousins in London and Greenwood. From your little friend,

HAZEL KRAEMER,

1020 McKay Blvd.

Janesville, Wis.

Don't forget the place Dear Santa I forgot I want a little dish cupboard with glass doors in it for my dishes, good bye.

A Cooking Outfit.

Janesville, Wis.,

December 9, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus,
Santa I would like a few things for Christmas I would like a stove and a little frying pan and a little kettle and a stove handle and a little rocking chair and some candy and nuts and a little tablet two chair that in stand so I must close.

So good by from Sophia.

I am nine years old

From SOPHIA ALBRECHT,

1102 So. Cherry St.

Janesville, Wis.

Anything But Doll.

Janesville, Wis., Dec. 8, 1910.

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy eight years old. Please bring me some candy and apples, a mouth organ and flute. Leg-gins, or anything you have but a doll, air gun and bullets and Mega.

STANLEY T. DRUM.

325 Cherry St.

Janesville.

Knife and Pencil.

Dear Santa Claus

I want you to bring me a kuffo pencil book, hand cart and some candy and nuts and a Xmas tree

GEORGE KELLY,

1504 Racine St.

High Boots For David.

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a pair of high boots with buckles and a scarf too. Good bye.

DAVID ATWOOD,

aged six.

Don't Forget the Jack-Knife.

Dec. 3 10.

Milton Wis.

Dear Santa:—

I am twelve years old. I would like a pair of skates and a three-bladed Jackknife. I do not care so much about the skates, but do not forget the Jack knife As ever

Your friend

GEORGE LIPKE.

Wants of Two,
Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Arleigh Pierson. I am to tell you I should like a magic lantern or moving picture machine for Xmas, and an air ship that winds up, some nice boy story books, and a big friction street car or automobile, a new sled and a fire men's red suit or an Indian suit or some games, I don't want to ask for too much but bring any thing nice you have to spare. My little brother Dick is three years old, and he wants more gold fish and a big horn. But today I had a train that runs on a track a big flag that he can wave, a ring to wear, a teddy bear book and a little chair, a little now piano and we both want our stockings full of nice candy and oranges, and Dick also wants a fountain pen. I think that is all. We live at 529 So. Main St. Your friends,
ARLEIGH and DICK PIERSON.

Wants An Engine

Janesville, Wis.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Kent Liddell I live at 641 Sutherland Ave. In a good boy to my brother and I'd like engine telephone foot ball drum talking machine, candy and nuts rocking horse Robert wants a air gun train a cars and candy Your little friends good bye
KENT LIDDELL.

Helps Mamma,
Dec. 12, 1910,

Milton, Iwa.

Dear Santa:—
I am seven years old, and help my mamma read often. I would like a nice ring and a new dress for my doll, for Christmas. Please do bring me the few things I ask for.

Your Truly

ELEANOR LIPKE,

Milton Wis

R 10.

Box 42.

Goes To Kindergarten.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am five years old and go to kindergarten every day I want a fire engine, a box of soldiers, a canon, candy and anything you want to bring.

HERALD E. BAUMANN.

A LETTER FROM SANTA CLAUS.

Any boy or girl wishing a Parker Lucky Curve Fountain Pen for a Xmas present will please mention it to either the father or mother. It will be made known to me at once. If you will permit me to suggest it, the little Parker Jack Knife Safety is a dandy. If you don't believe it ask Conlon Sayles. I gave him one last year.

A Set Of Dishes,
Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1910.

Dear Santa:—
I am a little girl five years old. I live 1120 N. Main St. I do not go to school yet, but I am going next term. For Christmas I want, a set of dishes, doll, doll buggy, a pair of blue ribbons, and some candy, nuts and apples.

From your loving little girl,

THERESA STRUNG.

Grows Out of Death.

Life is a plant that grows out of death.—Deecher.

3 MORE SHOPPING DAYS B4 XMAS



SHOP EARLY



IF I COULD STAY OUT ALL DAY LONG WITH A LOT OF GIRLS TO PET ME THE REASON THAT I CAN'T DO THIS IS CAUSE MY MUM WONT LET ME

Our Education.

A man learns to respect the rights of others because his own are trampled on so much.—Atchison Globe.

Wasted.

Vulgarity is amusing only to the vulgar, and they are not worth amusing.

To those belated in making Xmas lists

You will find this store adequately equipped to give instant service. However, we want to impress upon you that you have only three days in which to make your gift selections and the longer you put it off the more difficult it is. The following list will doubtless help you come to a decision—a visit to the store is sure to.

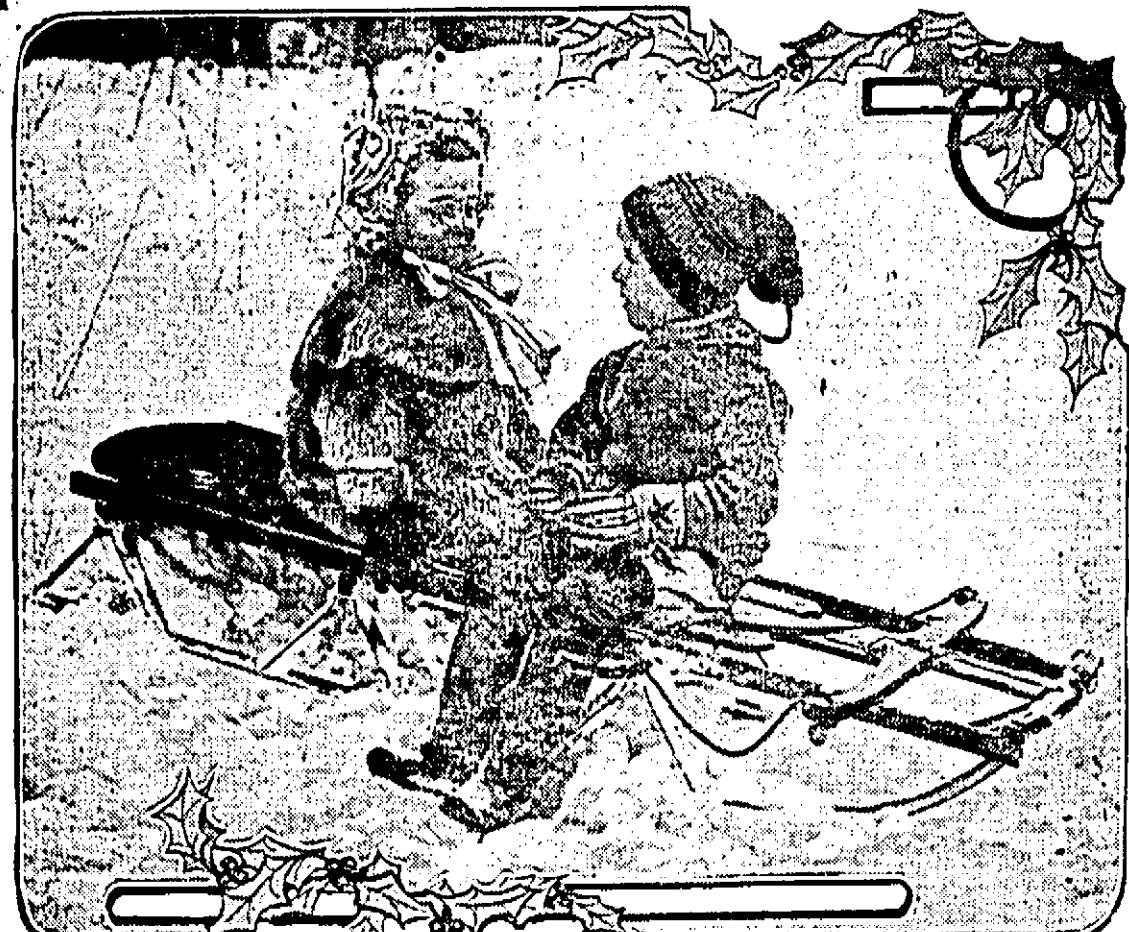
Choose from the following list:

- Cuff Links, 75c to \$10.00.
- Scarf Pins, 75c to \$12.00.
- Fobs, \$2.00 to \$6.00.
- Brooch Pins, gold filled, \$1.25 to \$3.00.
- Brooch Pins, solid gold, \$3.00 to \$12.00.
- Signet or Set Rings, \$1.50 to \$12.00.
- La Vallieres, \$2.75 to \$15.00.
- Locketts and Chains, \$3.00 to \$12.00.
- Military Brushes, \$3.00 per pair.
- Shaving Sets, \$3.50.
- Watch Chains, \$2.50 to \$12.00.
- Charms, 75c to \$3.00.

Gifts selected here will be engraved free of charge.

DOANE BROS.
Dependable Jewelers.
110 W. Milw. St.

A Christmas Morning Courtship



"What would you like, pretty maid?" he said.
"Why, I'd like to coast on your Christmas sled."

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Both Phones 141

We wish you A Merry Christmas and Good Health and Prosperity Throughout the New Year.

Both Phones 141

WOMAN'S PAGE

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON.

I READ a little news item the other day tucked away on a back page with only a six point headline that I'd like to have seen displayed double column on the first page and with a forty point headline.

This was the substance of it. Mrs. O. H. Howard of St. Louis, wife of the president of the Commonwealth Steel Company, gave the use of her mansion and personally acted as general director at the wedding of her maid, Martha Sullivan, and her gardener, Daniel Figgart.

Please notice the last part of that paragraph. Mrs. Howard didn't just give her house and estate to the wedding but she also gave her maid and her gardener a place in the wedding.

Nor did she think that just to have her wedding in such a place must be sufficiently dazzling to a girl who otherwise would be married from some humble apartment. She carried through the whole wedding in the style in which she would have had the girl been her cousin or personal friend. The ceremony took place, the item informs us, "amid a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums in the magnificently appointed drawing room," and again "to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by an ingeniously concealed mechanism on a huge grandfather's clock in the reception hall, the wedding party descended from the second floor by the grand staircase."

I wish I might thank Mrs. Howard personally for that wedding. I think she deserves as great praise as if she had written a wise and wonderful book on how to solve the servant problem.

As a matter of fact that is what she has done, only, instead of writing her book, she has lived it. In the course of an investigation of the maid's side of the servant problem I asked a great many girls to tell me their opinion as to the reason why it's harder to keep good help than it used to be. And one of the most common answers was, "The women are different than they used to be. Most of them seem to be trying all the time to show us how superior they are and that we aren't anything but the dirt under their feet."

One of the women at the head of a big intelligence office put it this way: "If the mistress were more human and treated the girls like human beings instead of as machines to get the most possible work out of, there wouldn't be any servant problem at all."

"Mary was really very disagreeable about changing her day this week," I heard a young matron say recently. "She said she had an engagement. The ideal! Suppose she did! Couldn't she put it off?"

Now Mary is a housemaid but at the same time she is a normal young girl and very much in love with a nice young man. This particular Thursday she was going to take her to the theatre. Naturally she resented having her day off changed.

The young matron is at bottom a very kind hearted person and I'm sure that if she had stopped to think of Mary as a young girl in love who didn't have asked her to make this sacrifice, but she didn't. She just thought of her as an automatic machine guaranteed to deliver just so much service, and she didn't see why it should matter that she received that service one day instead of another.

Perhaps it's queer but whenever I see a clash like that I always think of Shylock's speech in the Merchant of Venice.

You remember—"Hath not a Jew eyes, hath not a Jew hands, organs, dimensions, senses, affections, passions, fed with the same foods, hurt with the same weapons, subject to the same diseases, healed by the same means, warmed and cooled by the same summer and winter as the Christian is?"

Substitute "maid" and "mistress" for "Jew" and "Christian," and ashamed as I am to say it—I think you have a reminder that very modern mistresses need.

The KITCHEN CABINET

UNDOUBTEDLY, we believe that spiritual virtues should concern us more nearly than material ones; but equally do we believe that if a thing is done, it had best be well done, except it be a cannibalistic duck; and no housewife ever lost her title to future bliss through the keeping of a good table while she was on earth.

—Owen Winter.

Ways of Serving Curried Dishes.

In spite of its high seasoning, people who have lived in India are enthusiastic in their praise of curry. Although it is not expensive it may be made at home.

Curry Powder.—Take one ounce each of turmeric, coriander seed, white ginger, nutmeg, mace and cayenne. Pound all together and sift through a fine sieve. Bottle and cork well. To make an Indian curry, a rabbit, chicken or other delicate meat is required. For chicken curry, cover the chicken with boiling water, adding a bouquet of herbs and two large onions. Simmer gently for an hour and a quarter, removing the fat as it rises. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a sauce pan, add two tablespoonfuls of flour and when well blended stir in the chicken broth. Add a teaspoonful or more of the curry powder with the flour. Beat the yolks of three eggs, stir in the gravy and the juice of half a lemon. Pour over the chicken and serve with a border of rice.

Curry of Mutton.—Fry one large onion, cut fine, in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Mix one tablespoonful of curry powder, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of flour and stir it into the butter and onion. Add gradually one pint of hot water or stock. Cut two pounds of lean mutton into small pieces and brown them in hot fat. Add them to the sauce and simmer until tender. Place the meat on a hot dish and arrange a border of boiled rice around the meat.

Curried Vegetables.—Cook one cupful each of potatoes and carrots, one-half cup of turnip cut in fancy shapes. Drain; add a half cup of peas and pour over the sauce made by cooking two tablespoonfuls each of onion and butter, remove the onion, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, salt, pepper and celery salt and a half teaspoonful of curry. Add gradually one cup of scalding milk and sprinkle with parsley.

Nellie Maxwell.

Just as Gully. "If you're one of those aggravating persons that makes everybody else aware," says the Philosopher of Folly, "you are guilty of profanity, though you never uttered a curse word in your life."

Magnet's Power. A steel horseshoe magnet can hold in suspension a weight up to twenty times its own.

woman looking for brown fur, but mink is really not at all an economical pet, for even the expensive quality fades rapidly, and the luster and richness of the fur soon disappear, leaving a flat, hard, and unbecoming surface. There are dreadful imitations of mink, with hand-colored stripes on ordinary brown squirrel pelt, and there is the eastern mink, which is really a creditable imitation of the genuine pelt and is much used for coat linings and trimmings.

The sensible woman, who wants to get her money's worth in brown furs will select skunk, opossum or fisher. Skunk is really a beautiful fur and comes very near in appearance to the fabulously priced Russian sable, with times the durability of the latter. A set of skunk fur should not prove prohibitively expensive and a neckpiece and muff to match of Hudson seal trimmed with skunk would be very smart with a cloth costume. Badger is also a handsome and not very expensive fur, which is liked for collar and muff sets.

Lynx and pointed fox are still high favorites with many women, who appreciate the becoming qualities of the soft black pelts against the skin. Pointed fox is an expensive luxury, but very good sets of dyed black fox may be had for a reasonable sum. Black fox is much more durable than lynx, which retains its beauty only a short time. Lynx should never be selected by a woman who travels much in crowded vehicles, for the long hairs which constitute the chief beauty of this fur are soon pulled out by being rubbed against heavy garments.

Of the gray furs, wolf and the new favorite, Adelaide chinchilla, are the most practical choices. This Australian chinchilla has the same velvety texture of ordinary chinchilla, but is more durable and somewhat less expensive. Australian opossum is a tawny fur, which is also very fashionable just now.

The Judy lag muff, named for a certain popular stage character, is the hit of the season. These Judy lags are made of fur or of velvet trimmed with fur and are in huge bag shape, the hands being thrust into the sides of the bag near the top, while the lower portion falls in a long point tipped with a heavy tassel.

Caps with their full crowns of gold or silver net, their frills about the face and their quaint flower or jewel ornaments, are made for wear under hats, the cap frill framing the face coquettishly and softly under a more daring hat brim.

Some separate blouses have the yokes outlined or suggested by wooden beads; others have heavy motifs worked in dull gold embroidery. Satin, crepe de Chine and soft silk are being used for these blouses.

Long black velvet wraps with huge collars of Venetian lace are worn with separate cloth or velvet dresses. Dull gilt cords fasten some at the side. They are cut on straight lines, with straight sleeves and no armholes.

Rathie, the coarse weave for tailored suits, is very smart when trimmed with Astrakhan. Drevel recently showed a model in best red red trimmed with bands of black on revers, cuffs and skirt.

Draped veils in chintilly and in Brussels or in chiffon, with velvet dots and elaborate borders, are coming in again. There is an element of dignity and well balanced grace in the draped veil and to many it is very becoming.

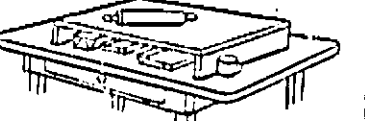
Garlands of plumes are used on broad, low hats. They are spotted and flecked with color, and some are made of layers of different shades, giving a wonderfully iridescent effect. Florence Fairbanks.

SUGGESTIONS FOR CHRISTMAS.

By ROSE TERNELL.

For the breakfast where the gifts are distributed at the table, make a centerpiece of an oblong mirror. About the edge arrange leaves of holly and wild grasses that have been dipped in a hot solution of alum. This will cover them with crystals. In the center a miniature Santa Claus made of cotton batting and red flannel with a face cut from an illustration should be mounted on a pile of snowballs made from cotton and sprinkled with diamond dust. All gifts should be wrapped in white paper and be white, ties and shades should also be white. If the effect seems a little chilly streamers of holly red, or garlands of holly with berries and leaves, may be used. For a children's party there should be provided a pile of snowballs made of muslin and stuffed with cotton and a game of forfeits arranged. A head of Santa Claus with a wide grinning mouth of mammoth size makes a fine target and the prizes for a certain number of center throws may be a Santa Claus candy box filled with bonbons.

The gifts of a chiding dish may be supplemented by other members of the family in various ways. The little apron, which is so coquettish, has already been described in a book for chiding dish recipes in out leather will be an addition especially if some of the pages are left blank for new "messages" made by visitors, and a chiding dish screen is a new idea and may be carried out very inexpensively. The one shown is made of corrugated packing board covered with China silk and the edges bound with silk ribbon. The figures are stenciled and may be varied to suit the taste of the recipient. If the donor has a gift for pen and ink sketching a fine quality of China silk will take the work beautifully, but designs that can be bought may be applied as successfully as original work.



A double deck for the kitchen table will be welcomed by the housekeeper who does her work in a small kitchen and must economize. The top board is made of a molding board which can be bought for a few pennies and the sides can be taken from

packing boxes. All must be rubbed smooth and white with the finest of sand paper. This kind of a table saves many a backache when making bread.

For the child who wishes to give a bit of her own needle work select a cushion with a bold, easy design stamped plainly on it. This, worked in heavy silk using the outline stitch, will be very satisfactory. Select harmonizing colors and lend a hand if the work seems to drag.



For the member of the family that will be absent from the Christmas circle prepare a book of home pictures. Cover the outside with a bit from some old gown of mother's that has the outside of a verse from "Home, Sweet Home," in gold. If the material will stand it a bar of the music is artistic. If the donor is very artistic and the goods of the cover will allow the work a row of swallows perched on a telegraph wire and a line from Browning's "The little birds flew east, the little birds flew west," will be suggestive and pretty. Begin the pictures with kodak views of the house, follow with the entrance and then go on from room to room, having the different members pictured in accustomed places. Bits of beauty about the town and "memory spots" of the neighborhood may find place and the whole be a heart-string reminder of "The heart of the world—home."

Fun in the Home.

Winterer your lot in life, keep joy with you, says Orion Sweet Marden in Success Magazine. It is a great helper. Sorrow, worry, jealousy, envy, and temper, create friction and grind away the delicate human machinery so that the brain loses its cunning.

Half the misery in the world would be avoided if the people would make a business of having plenty of fun at home instead of running everywhere else in search of it.

"Now for Rest and Fun." "No Business Troubles Allowed Here." These are good home building mottoes.

When you have had a perplexing day, when things have gone wrong with you, and you go home at night exhausted, discouraged, blue, instead of making your home miserable by going over your troubles and trials, just bury them; instead of dragging them home and making yourself and your family unhappy with them and spoiling the whole evening, just lock everything that is disagreeable in your office.

Just resolve that your home shall be a place for bright pictures and pleasant memories, kindly feelings toward everybody and, as Mr. Roosevelt says, "a corking good time" generally. If you do this you will be surprised to see how your vacation or business wrinkles will be ironed out in the morning and how the crooked things will be straightened.

Hint for Lovers of Tea. Tea is more beneficial if made with hard water.

DAILY DIET AND HEALTH HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN, Food Specialist.

BEANS AND POTATOES.

Beans contain too much nitrogenous or flesh forming food, and not enough fat; potatoes are deficient in the flesh forming element and fat; beans with potatoes and butter or dry toast and butter make a great combination in the proportion of four ounces of beans to eight of potatoes and one of butter. It is not necessary that the diet be balanced at each meal. A meal consisting principally of beans would be balanced by another, consisting principally of rice or potatoes or bananas or raisins or prunes.



Every Housewife Should Have a Copy

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

The Cook's Book has been prepared at a cost of many thousands of dollars, in the interest of better and healthier cooking. It shows the way to reduce the cost of living, containing as it does over 90 thoroughly tested, tried and proven recipes that will be successful every time, if the few simple directions are followed.

This is truly a wonderful book, showing as it does in hundreds of ways how to lighten the good housewife's burdens and solving baked problems successfully. It really must be seen to be appreciated, for the recipes are illustrated in natural colors. Those who have seen it, immediately say: "It's the best Cook Book I've ever seen"—and you will too.

You can secure a copy of this valuable book absolutely free by attaching the colored certificate packed in 25-cent boxes of KC Baking Powder to this advertisement, sending both to the JACOBUS MFG. CO., Chicago, Ill. Write your name and address plainly.

The Enthusiast.

It was after the football game "And the plaudits of 50,000 enthusiastic spectators the full back of the victorious team had been carried from the field on the shoulders of his joy-crazed cohorts. He was the hero of the hour. By his unaided efforts defeat had been turned into glorious victory within one minute of the call of time.

He was in the hands of his rubbers when his chum entered the dressing room. "I had the pleasure of sitting next to your best girl during the game," said his chum. "Did she enthuse over my playing?" asked the star full back with that beautiful modesty so characteristic of the modern gridiron gladiator. "Well—er—" replied the chum, not without a certain hesitancy, "when you made your 46 yard run for the last touchdown, and the flags were flying, and we were all yelling ourselves into a state of hiberny, and everybody felt sure of your place on the All-American team, she turned to me and said:

"Hain't he beautiful hair?"

The Pity of It.

The blighting of love's young dream. Pathetic advertisement in an Auckland paper: "Wanted to sell, engagement ring (five rubies), almost new."—New Zealand Lance.

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The World Is Her Lobster. A bright woman who is also a pretty woman has the world in a sling.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

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What Would Happen? Uncle Ezra says: "I dunno what would happen to the average man if he once got his work all done up."

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The CHRISTMAS GIFT That Includes Everybody in the Home

Each Christmas brings its own most treasured gift to be cherished above the rest. But there is one Christmas like which there can be no other—the PIANO CHRISTMAS. Make this a Piano Christmas instead of purchasing some flimsy article for each individual member of the family, something that will be forgotten in a few months at the most; make it the Christmas of a lifetime, make it a gift to all the family—a Piano.

The Case You Must Know Stands Thus:

Your family has been pressing and cajoling you for months and possibly years, to get a piano. It has been pointed out again and again how desirable an acquisition a piano would be in your home. The very conversation about the possibility of getting one has set a warmth of feeling around the dining table evenings that was good for itself alone. The expectation that a piano would be forthcoming lent a pleasant and agreeable tone to the conversation whenever the subject was brought up. You are quite satisfied, for you admit it, that the piano would mean much in the way of pleasure and quiet happiness for every member of your family. You know it would appeal to you just as strongly as to your wife or your oldest daughter or your youngest son.

All this is quite true, and our talk today is addressed to the gentleman at the head of the average home where there is not yet a piano. When brought to the crucial point lately of coming here and making a selection and thus end the problem for good and all, you have demurred on some flimsy excuse that would not stand the pressing and reiterated arguments of the different members of the family. Finding yourself beaten in the discussion you have kept mum about the matter ever since.

Now this is all wrong. Your family needs a piano and you need it as much as anybody—and you know it. Why should you insist longer on depriving your home of music, when it could be had as easily as not? Why should you not decide either to come yourself or give your wife and daughters permission to do so? A piano bought here can be had on the most easy terms, and goes out strictly at our risk as regards quality.

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A great collection of instruments is ready for your inspection at our salesrooms.

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Lord Loveland Discovers America

By C. N. AND A. M. WILLIAMSON

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Unconsciously he put out his hand, but she seemed not to see the gesture, and the hand dropped.

"I used the name, I thought it was better, and it really is my name," he went on, "one of my names."

"You have no many?"

"My sponsors in baptism."

"The newspapers accused you of being your own sponsor."

"The newspapers accused me? What do you mean?"

"Surely you know. I told you I should read about you, but I expected to read very different things. However, we won't talk of that now."

"But we must." For a moment he was the old, masterful Loveland. "We must, I want to know what you mean."

"That can wait awhile. I came to ask what you mean. Though I did read the newspapers, I was surprised to find you here. I am acting for my friend Sidney Cremer. A cousin of Sidney's and mine, who lives a few miles out of Asheville, saw 'Lord Lob' advertised for performance and telegraphed. Sidney couldn't come, but my aunt brought me tonight, as Sidney Cremer's interests and mine are rather closely allied. And you know nobody has a right to produce the play without the author's permission."

"Yes, I know," answered Loveland dejectedly. "Cremer's interests and mine were 'closely allied.' She had blushed and even faltered a little as she made the statement, and Val sprang instantly to the conclusion that she was engaged to marry Cremer. And he stood convicted of defrauding the man whom she intended to marry. Was there any depth of wretchedness or of humiliation which the thirteenth Marquis of Loveland had not plumbed at last?"

"You admit that you know and yet you produced and played in the piece?"

"I did, but," he hesitated.

"But what? You see, I'm bound to report to my friend."

"Your friend?" broke out Loveland, losing his head. "You are going to marry him? You don't deny it?"

She laughed gently. "Why should I deny it to you? Have you any right to question me or bring me to book about anything, Mr. Gordon?"

"I know I have no right," he admitted. "Forgive me." To her he was now only Gordon, the actor, who had stolen Sidney Cremer's play. "The past was to be forgotten."

"I must remind you again," Lesley went on in a cool, businesslike manner, though her eyes were stary. "that you mustn't go on using Sidney Cremer's play."

"We have no intention of doing so," said Loveland. And then in a few words as possible, without any attempt at defending himself for his part in the transaction, he explained baldly that the manager had deserted the company and that they had only one piece, "Lord Lob." They had produced it for three nights in the hope of making money enough to get away, but the result had proved disappointing.

"My affairs are rather in a muddle just now," Loveland finished, "but as soon as I get them straightened out again, which I expect to do shortly, I will myself pay Mr. Cremer's fees for these performances if you'll let me know what they are."

"Oh, Sidney wouldn't want you to do that," the girl explained. "Neither of us know that the company was in trouble. I can answer for Sidney as if it were for myself. If only you give me your word, Lord Lob, I mean Mr. Gordon, that these people won't go about the country playing this piece I'll ask nothing more."

"You may set Mr. Cremer's mind at rest about that," Loveland answered bitterly. "They aren't likely to go about the country playing any piece."

"You mean they are stranded here?" inquired Lesley.

"Oh, I'm all right," Loveland said hurriedly, far from wishing to pose as an object of pity. "It's the others I'm thinking of."

She gave him a quick, clear look. "Would you go away and leave them here in trouble?" she asked.

"No; I won't do that," replied Val. "I mean to do something for them."

"Won't there be money enough from these three performances of 'Lord Lob' to pay their railroad fares some-where?"

"I'm afraid not, hardly enough to settle with the landlord and get him to release their luggage, which he's keeping till last week's board bills are paid."

"Your luggage too?"

Loveland growled. "I haven't any."

"Oh!" The color flew to her cheeks, as if in sympathy with the flush she could not help feeling on his. "No trunks?"

"You say you read the newspapers," said Loveland. "If you did you perhaps saw that the hotel people in New York treated me rather curiously. I didn't read the stuff myself. I really couldn't bring myself to do it. But I gathered from hints given me here and there that the journalists had a pretty rough game with me."

"You had a game with them, to be-

gin with," said Lesley.

"I shut my door in the face of one on my first day in New York," Loveland admitted. "Next day I hadn't a door to shut. America hasn't been very hospitable to me."

"What could you expect? Americans don't like having tricks played on them."

"I played no trick."

"You played a part—the part of Lord Loveland."

Val stared. "How can a man play that he's himself?"

"Do you deny the newspaper accusations then?"

"What accusations? I did knock a man down in the street, and he gave his own version of the story."

"Oh, I don't mean that story, but quite another, the story he said you knocked him down for snatching a woman."

"We're talking at cross purposes," broke in Loveland, bewildered. "For the sake of any friendship you may ever have had for me, though I'm not asking you to continue it in future, explain what you mean."

"But do you mean that you read nothing, heard nothing of what they were saying about you in New York?"

"I told you I wouldn't look at the papers. What I heard I of course took for granted was in connection with the hotel affair and the row in the street."

CHAPTER XXIII.

LORD LOVELAND, CHAUFFEUR.

LESLEY thought for a minute, with an expression on her face which Loveland could not understand. Presently an idea seemed to command itself to the girl. On her arm a little gold and platinum bag hung from its chain. Well did he know the two compartments in this favorite little receptacle of Lesley's treasures. And now he watched her, with eyes homesick for past days, as she took out the remembered cardcase and from an inner pocket of that cardcase a folded newspaper cutting.

"It's quite time you did read for yourself," she said. "This will make you understand better than I can tell you. Panny Milton cut it out of the New York Light and posted it to me. I've kept it here—I hardly knew why, but now I'm glad I did."

It was Tony Kidd's first article that Loveland read with a shock of surprise, which at the very beginning set the blood humming in his ears like the sound of the sea in a shell.

Tony had told his story spicily in a way to make his readers laugh. But Loveland did not laugh. He read on and on, dazed at first, then with a burst of enlightenment which made clear many mysteries.

"The difficult young man to approach" had come to New York to see his friends and conquer papers, said Tony. He had begun the conquering process on board ship, being a youth of a thirty turn of mind, who believed in taking things by the forelock. He had made friends. He had even perhaps made love. Soon no doubt he would have made a match, but the schemes of mice, men and even marquis have a way of going wrong, especially when—and that "when" reminded Tony to pause and ask a comment. "When is a marquis not a marquis?" The writer invited the public to guess. "Why, when he's a valet, of course." And then Tony went on to protest gently that neither he nor his paper was responsible for the assertion that this marquis was not a marquis. They merely put the question and gave the answer for what it was worth.

A number of people prominent in New York society had received cablegrams from London informing them that the valet of the Marquis of Loveland had absconded with his lordship's jewelry and other belongings; that the fugitive was known to have impersonated his master in London, obtaining goods from tradesmen and running up bills at hotels in Lord Loveland's name. If a person calling himself the Marquis of Loveland should appear in New York presenting letters of introduction to the said prominent people earlier than the arrival of the White Star liner Baltic they were to beware of him, as the real Lord Loveland expected to sail on that ship.

On the very day when these cablegrams were received, Tony Kidd went on to state, there arrived by a strange coincidence an attractive looking and haughty young gentleman known among acquaintances collected on the Mauretania as Lord Loveland. This alleged nobleman had gone to the Waldorf-Astoria, where, through a servant of the hotel, he was soon discovered that his pretensions trunks were practically empty.

Act 2 was a round of calls with letters of introduction to all the prominent people warned by a friend (also prominent) in England.

Act 3, a scene in the Waldorf restaurant, where some shipboard acquaintances, dining with one of the prominent people, had heard from him of the cablegram and of course refused to acknowledge acquaintance with the attractive nobleman when he appeared in the room, ready to greet the whole party with effusion.

Act 4, the hotel authorities being informed, request "Lord Loveland" to find other accommodation.

Act 5, the husband and father of the two ladies whom Lord Loveland met on the Mauretania attacked and knocked down in the street by the "difficult young man to approach."

Now, at last, Loveland understood everything that had happened to him in New York, even to the mystery of the bank. Again he seemed to see Cadwallader Hunter bending to talk with the good looking, dark young man who had dined with the Coolidges. Mr. van Cotten had doubtless been one

of those who had received the warning cablegrams, and naturally he had passed on the interesting news to the Coolidges and Miltons. Cadwallader Hunter, who had stopped to chat with the party, had been just in time to glean the information and had taken revenge for the Englishman's rudeness of the morning by advising the hotel people to get rid of an undesirable client.

Oh, yes, it was easy enough to see it all now, even the reason why his mother and the London bankers had failed to answer his appeals for money. They had thought that Foxham was ebbing and had accordingly refused to be taken in. Apparently Foxham had absconded somewhere, and his misdoings had been discovered on the other side before his late master had found him out.

It all came from accepting the chance offered by Jim Harborough to sell on the Mauretania. But in spite of everything he had suffered Loveland told himself that he would not have it different. If he had come over on the Baltic he would probably by this time be engaged to some American heiress and would never have met Lesley Dearmer.

Just now his acquaintance with her was putting him to torture, and he was gloomily convinced that nothing would ever make things come right. Nevertheless he was dimly, subconsciously aware even in this bitter moment that he wouldn't choose release from torture at the price of not knowing the girl.

"All this is a surprise to you, then?" Her voice broke into the midst of his reflections over the newspaper cutting. "Completely."

"How very odd that you didn't read the papers!" exclaimed Lesley. "I was so disgusted with the way New York was treating me that I wasn't very keen to see what it was saying of me. Besides, as I told you, I thought I did know. I supposed it was all about the hotel fuss and my knocking down that man Milton."

"Why did you knock him down?"

"I slipped him in the face, and he fell down."

"But why did you slap him in the face?"

"I can't tell you that, Miss Dearmer."

(To be Continued.)

The Real Mourners.

The Bull Pup—"How did you lose your tail, old man?" The Yellow Cur—"In a trolley accident." The Bull Pup—"Do you miss it much?" The Yellow Cur—"Not as much as the boys do who used to tie the tin cans to it."

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Chicago via Deloit—C. & N. W. Ry.—7:35, P. M.

From Chicago via Deloit—C. & N. W. Ry.—5:50, 10:30, 11:20, A. M.; 6:50, 11:05, P. M.

Chicago via Davis Jet—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—9:00, 11:15, A. M.; 6:30, P. M. Returning, 10:15, A. M.; 12:55, 6:28, P. M.

Chicago via Walworth—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—7:20, 10:45, A. M.; 6:22, 5:30, P. M. Returning, 10:35, A. M.; 6:50, 8:50, P. M.

Madison, Edgerton, Staughton and Points North and West—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—7:50, 10:45, A. M.; 6:58, 2:40, 8:50, P. M. Returning, 7:15, 10:35, 11:30, A. M.; 5:17, 8:00, P. M.

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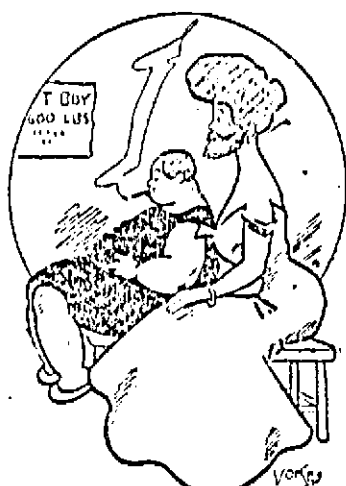
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Illustration No. 3. A young man who had a bad fall and subluxated the second cervical of the neck shutting off the nerve force to the brain and the result was he became violently insane; this was adjusted and the young man became rational again. The chiropractors find a great many cases like this one where there is a slight subluxation at this same vertebra that causes people to become fanatics on any one subject but if they are not

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Illustration No. 4. A young man was bent and suffered with catarrh for many years. We adjusted the third vertebra of his neck, freed the nerves to ears and nose, and he is now free from catarrh and deafness.

Illustration No. 5. A boy with a bad case of tonsillitis was brought to our office and on examination we found fourth cervical vertebra of the neck subluxated and three adjustments removed the cause of his trouble and he is a well boy to day.

Illustration No. 6. A case of a lady with a bad cough and bronchitis caused by a subluxation of the fifth cervical vertebra pressing the nerves ramifying the bronchial tubes and causing severe coughing spells. This was readily overcome by adjusting the vertebra to normal position. Similar cases are of frequent occurrence and we have made many people well who were affected by the same trouble.

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Illustration No. 8. A case of a young lady. The second and third dorsal vertebrae were found in a lateral subluxated condition, throwing a pressure on the nerves that ramify the lungs, causing congestion of the lungs which throw the patient into consumption. By releasing the vertebra and removing the pressure from these nerves it gives nature a chance to restore perfect health. We have had a large per cent of these cases, and all were made well.

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